2,000 Homeless, 6 Dead From Alberta Floods; Trains Halted

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Weather Forecast

Sunday—Cloudy with scattered showers in afternoon; southwest winds, 20 m.p.h. Little change in temperature. Temperature, noon Saturday, 43.

Oil Refinery Burns

EL SEGUNDO, Calif. (AP) — An explosion and spectacular fire broke out early today at the treating plant of the Standard Oil Company's El Segundo refinery. A huge pillar of flame and black smoke visible at least 10 miles away rose from the scene.

Today's Sports

Blackburn, Grimsby Drop From 1st Division Soccer

LONDON (Reuter) — While main interest centred in the Football Association Cup final, other football clubs today battled to hold their positions in the league standings.

Arsenal, already assured of the league championship, drew 0 to 0 with Manchester City. Blackburn Rovers in spite of defeating Sheffield United 4 to 0 will be relegated to the Second Division next season. Grimsby, defeated 3 to 1 by Charlton, also drops down into the Second Division.

Birmingham assured themselves of the Division championship by drawing 0 to 0 with Sheffield Wednesday and will be accompanied into the First Division by Newcastle, which drew 1 to 1 with Tottenham Hotspur. Doncaster Rovers, losing 2 to 0 to Luton Town, and Millwall which defeated Coventry City 6 to 2, both are relegated to the Third Division.

Queen's Park Rangers strengthened their claims to Third Division Southern honors, beating Newport County 1 to 0. But Bournemouth, defeating Bristol Rovers 2 to 1, still retain a slender chance. With two matches to play Queen's Park Rangers lead by four points.

In the battle for Third Division Northern honors, Rotherham United were beaten 2 to 0 by Lincoln City. Each now has one match to play, with Lincoln holding a one-point lead.

Only four games were played in the Scottish League Division A. Falkirk drew 1 to 1 with St. Mirren, Morton was defeated by Queen of the South 1 to 0, Motherwell drew 1 to 1 with Rangers and Queen's Park drew 0 to 0 with Hearts.

East Fife stayed at the head of Scottish League Division B, defeating Albion Rovers 4 to 1.

Today's Results At Garden State

First Race—

Narragansett	$6.00	$3.80	$2.80
Judy R		4.20	3.20
Miss O'Giffie			7.80

Scratched: Vintta D, Next Morning.

Second Race—

Tagel	$14.40	$6.00	$4.40
Abiel		4.60	3.40
Water Clock			7.40

Scratched: None.

Third Race—

Basis	$7.20	$3.60	$2.80
Bucephalus		3.60	3.00
Blarney			2.80

Scratched: Veght's First, Anchorese.

Fourth Race—

Blue Peter	$14.60	$5.00	$3.60
Mr. Jay		2.80	2.40
Egrette			6.40

Scratched: Rockwood.

Fifth Race—

Double Jay	$4.20	$3.40	$2.60
Time Rips		14.00	8.00
Elpis			5.20

Scratched: None.

Bay Meadows Results

First Race—

Quien Es	$5.10	$4.00	$3.30
Caldina Peer		13.20	8.10
Pacoima Lad			9.60

Scratched: Sterling Hope, Ex Parte, Bo Golly, Epinour.

Second Race—

Test Passer	$14.60	$7.50	$5.60
Hunter's Girl		6.60	5.20
Top Lift			13.00

Scratched: Sir Bonny, Gold Harry T.

Third Race—

Patrol Judge	$6.20	$4.30	$3.20
Warra Nymph		5.20	3.80
Newsbeat			5.60

Scratched: None.

My Request Wins Wood Memorial Cap

NEW YORK (AP)—Ben Whitaker's My Request turned on the steam in the stretch today to trim 10 other three-year-olds in the 24th running of the Wood Memorial before 48,771 persons at Jamaica.

Rugby Results

LONDON (Reuter)—Results of rugby games today in the United Kingdom:

RUGBY LEAGUE

League Championship Semifinals

Warrington 17, Huddersfield 5.
Wigan 3, Bradford Northern 15.

League Results

Bramley 11, St. Helens 19.
Castleford 32, Swindon 3.
Hull-Kingston Rovers 6, Wakefield Trinity 18.
Salford 9, Leigh 7.

RUGBY UNION

Aberavon 9, Llanelly 6
Bath 18, Moseley 8.
Bridgend 21, Cross Keys 11
Cardiff 30, Pontypool 3.
Cheltenham 3, Gloucester 12
Hartlepools Rovers 18, R.F. Cakes International Side 22
~~Neath 5, Ebbw Vale 9.~~
Newbridge 7, Newport 0.
Pembroke County 0, Swansea 9.
Plymouth Athletic 3 Newton Abbot 8.
Weston-Super-Mare 5, Bridgewater and Albion 5.
Abertillery 8, Maesteg 8.

Garden State Overnight Entries

First race—Mile and a sixteenth:

Well Informed	116
Chance Had	111
Devils Dove	104
Quiet Shot	111
Valdina Sentry	111
Royal Step	119
Ringmaster	111
Tenerife	122
Gainer	116
Hard Blast	122
Magna Ray	116

Second race—Four and a half furlongs:

Teddyyata	117
Flying Fun	117
Marbee Kay	117
†Miracle Red	117
‡Kidded	117
Superex	117
Floria	117
*Hy	117
‡Wilxhemine	117
Sub	117
Hand Malden	117
†Sky Pattern	117
Lady Alice	112
*Hypertension	117
Indus	117
Lapis Lazuli	110

†Entry.
‡Entry.
*Entry.

Third race—Six furlongs:

The Conga	106
Little Beggy	115
Black Tempest	113
Sir Imp	114
Ardent Miss	110
Red Scout	111
Wits End	115
Expendable	117
Liquid Bunch	110
Vera Connelly	107
Six Boom Bas	113
Amber Doll	108
Brace Play	103
Mama Fufu	117
Beaus Nurse	105
Hamansa	108

Fourth race—Six furlongs:

Delmore	117
Airmada	112
Imperil	109
Tacaro Milkman	111
Royal Foot	112
Shoes Buckle	109

Fifth race—Six furlongs:

Brown Fox	113
†Lucky Devil	111
Regalon	113
Not Very Much	113
†Irravaddy	113
Coyote	113
Friar Tuck	113
Debodura	111

†Entry.

Sixth race—Six furlongs:

Happy Hoodlum	103
Saracen Miss	116
Count Did	116
Sweeteena	110
Pilates Miss	109
Bullhead	113
Grand Actress	110
One Only	109
Semper Avanti	112
Twenty Knots	116
Dove Shoot	116

Seventh race—Mile and a half:

Burra Peg	116
That's Him	116
Graymar Royal	111
Captain Kidd	107
Maudeaux	120
Nick Kenny	116

Eighth race—Mile and a sixteenth:

Fagrace	111
Broadloom	119
Salute	119
Afire	115
Blue Frost	111
Liberty Head	116
Decoupage	111
Winged Heels	116
Enskin Mary B	114
Mibill B	116
Signals Bloke	116
Aboko	119

B.C. Boxing Team For Diamonds Named

VANCOUVER (CP)—British Columbia is the first to name a team for the Olympic Fund's Diamond Belt boxing tournament here May 7 and 8.

The members are flyweight Len Walters, bantamweight Bob Shires, featherweight Frank Almond, lightweight Eddie Haddad, welterweight Lyle Kehoe, middleweight Bill Brenner, light-heavyweight Jerris Jamel, and heavyweight Ellio Ius.

To date, Alberta and Manitoba have named five men, but Saskatchewan has not completed its eliminations.

Three prominent businessmen will underwrite the show, it was learned today. A. E. (Dal) Grauer, Victor Spencer and Austin Taylor have offered to guarantee the tournament $6,000.

The tournament will decide western Canada's ring entrants in the Canadian Olympic trials.

Ottawa Captures Eastern Hockey

TORONTO (CP)—Ottawa Senators won the Western Canada Senior Hockey title today, coming from behind to nip Hamilton Tigers 4 to 3 in the sixth game of their series to qualify for a berth in the Allan Cup finals against Edmonton.

4 Students Executed

HONGKONG (AP) — The newspaper Kung Sheung said today four students were executed just outside this British Crown Colony by unidentified men who accused them of being members of the Chinese Communist army.

Salvage Work Under Way At Trieste

Salvage work to clear the Bay of Muggia at Trieste of its war relics is being carried on. Experts are working on 10 Italian ships either scuttled or sunk by bombs. Here workmen pump air to a diver under water. The wrecked ship has been cut almost in half.

Reveals Threats

Mrs. Gwenn Martinson, private secretary to Walter P. Reuther for the past six years, told Detroit police that just last week two unsigned letters threatening Reuther with bodily harm came to his office. Reuther, president of U.A.W. (C.I.O.) was shot by an unknown gunman in his home April 20. He is recovering.

Swindler Taxed, Not Embezzler

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — A swindler must pay income tax on the proceeds of his scheme, but an embezzler needn't, the court of appeals ruled here when two Texans asked to recover taxes paid on $272,200.

James A. Dakers said he had embezzled the money from Mrs. Dora Roberts, wealthy 24-year-old widow. The government argued, and the court held, that he swindled it.

Differentiating embezzle and swindle, the court said that in an embezzlement title to the money does not pass to the embezzler. Hence he does not have to pay income tax on it. In a swindle, however, the court said, title does pass to the swindler and tax must be paid.

Vancouver Kinsmen Fight Lottery Ban

VANCOUVER (CP)—Vancouver Kinsmen Club officials have called a meeting for Tuesday to decide what action to take on a police ruling that lotteries for charities are illegal.

"Speaking personally," said Syd Webb, club spokesman, "I would like to see a ruling made in Victoria, you can bet we won't go down without a fight."

Douglas Allen, Active Club president, said his club "will sit tight and see what happens."

City prosecutor Gordon Scott said Friday that he had told police to notify operators of all large lotteries that they would be prosecuted if operations continued.

Red Cross Rushing Aid To Stricken As Peak 2 Days Away

By Canadian Press

Approximately 2,000 people were homeless today in the Drumheller Valley as new floods surged down the Red Deer River and its tributaries Friday night driving more families from their homes.

More than 600 persons including some flooded out for the first time, left homes in Drumheller, Wayne, Midland, East Coulee and Star Mine Friday night but the flood level had subsided this morning. Total deaths in Alberta's flood now stand at six.

Southern Manitoba, one of the hardest-hit districts, was being evacuated by more and more families living near the Red River. At Emerson, on the Manitoba-United States border, the river reached its highest level since 1897 and was continuing to rise beyond the 43.05-foot mark set this morning.

Red Cross officials in Winnipeg, who have supplied 23 flat-bottomed boats to towns south, said that Dr. Harvey Doney of Toronto, Dominion director of the Red Cross first aid division, had offered any facilities available.

More than 100 families had evacuated their homes in Greater Winnipeg by noon today as the water level of the Red and Assiniboine rivers, which converge here, continued to rise. Others prepared to evacuate.

Merchandise valued at $1,000,000 has been moved from wholesale company basements near the rivers.

St. Boniface Hospital officials were busy moving surgical instruments and food stocks and linens from the hospital basement.

City sewers began backing up this morning, but public works officials said facilities were still adequate to handle the situation. Flood peak is expected within two days.

An inquest into the death of Mrs. Peter Jackson, 53, who died Friday morning from injuries received when a C.P.R. bridge to the Western Crown Mine was blown up Wednesday, was opened in Drumheller Friday night.

Mrs. Jackson was struck by a piece of flying debris when the bridge was dynamited. The inquest was adjourned until May 5.

Searchers found the body of five-year-old Harvey Schumaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schumaker of Didsbury, Friday at about 5 p.m. when an old piece of farm machinery was hauled out of the Lone Pine Creek a short distance from the farm home 14 miles east of Didsbury. No inquest will be held.

Another C.N.R. railway bridge between Rosedale and Wayne was reported weakened Friday night and train service between Drumheller and Wayne was scheduled to be discontinued. All traffic bridges to Wayne over the Rosebud Creek were under water and the town was virtually cut off. Telephone and telegraph communication also was destroyed by the raging floods.

Today's Baseball

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Washington	3	7	0
Philadelphia	2	10	0

Batteries—Wynn and Evans; Marchildon and Rosar.

NATIONAL

St. Louis	2	8	0
Chicago	6	9	0

Batteries—Brazle, Papai (8) and Wilber; Chambers and McCullough.

Newfoundland Sets Vote Date

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP)—The Newfoundland government announced today that a national referendum on the island's future form of administration will be held June 3.

On that date Newfoundlanders will decide whether they want to continue under a commission government, restore responsible government or enter federal union with Canada.

Doubts If Piracy Charges Against Striking Seamen

TRONTO (CP)—Crown Attorney T. F. Forestell of Welland County today confirmed a Montreal report that numerous charges had been laid against 34 Great Lakes seamen. However, he had no information on the laying of a piracy charge against the men as reported in Montreal.

Mr. Forestell, here to attend a meeting of crown attorneys, said the men had been charged with assault occasioning bodily harm, wilful and mischievous damage to a ship, illegal boarding of a ship, conspiracy to commit an indictable offence, trespassing, use of force, violence and threats of intimidation against employed seamen.

The men, reported members of the Canadian Seamen's Union (T.L.C.), were arrested Thursday night after they allegedly had attacked a Canada Steamship Lines vessel in a Welland Canal lock. They were remanded a week on their court appearance Friday.

At Montreal, J. Arthur Mathewson, counsel for the C.S.L., who said previously these charges would be laid, added that charges of piracy were in preparation against certain members of the C.S.U.

The alleged C.S.U. attack at Thorold was a development in the rivalry between the union and the Canadian Lake Seamen's Union over work contracts on Great Lakes ships. Four steamship lines refuse to recognize the C.S.U. on grounds it is Communist-led.

TORONTO (CP)—Reid Robinson, whose deportation was ordered by an immigration board early this month, will surrender himself in custody to the senior immigration officer Monday noon, C. L. Dubin, his counsel, said today.

New Secretary

Charles W. Sawyer (above) of Cincinnati, Ohio, former U.S. ambassador to Belgium, is expected to serve as Secretary of Commerce. President Truman's nomination of him is before the Senate for confirmation.

Police Track Down Clues Turned In On Reuther's Shooting

DETROIT (AP)—Police Inspector Joseph Krug said today he believes Nelson Davis, a self-styled Communist, "isn't telling all he knows" about the wounding of Walter Reuther.

Davis, 52-year-old negro, has denied a report that he knows who fired the shotgun blast that seriously wounded the United Automobile Workers' (C.I.O.) president last Tuesday night.

Davis was arrested Thursday after officers said they had received the report from a mystery witness.

No charge has been placed against him, and Prosecutor James M. McNally has been ordered to give a "specific" reason today why he should be detained longer.

Judge Arthur Webster refused Friday to grant a writ freeing Davis, whose counsel claimed he was "manifestly innocent."

While police tracked down slim clues in their manhunt for Reuthers' assailant, the red-haired labor leader was heartened by news that he may yet have the use of his right arm, which nearly was torn off in the attack.

Dr. Barnes Woodhall, neurosurgery professor who during the war was an expert on gunshot wounds, checked Reuther's progress and expressed belief a nerve injury could be corrected.

The U.A.W. chief's physicians had been sure they could save the arm, but had feared the nerve damage might be permanent, leaving Reuther crippled.

Reuther's general condition remains good.

New reward offers have raised to $121,800 the amount that may be paid for capture of the gunman who tried to kill him.

600 D.P.'s Arrive; 74 For Vancouver

HALIFAX (CP) — The immigration ship Marine Falcon arrived Friday night with 600 displaced persons bound for jobs in various parts of central and western Canada.

Included among them are 61 domestics for institutions and private homes across Canada, 60 construction workers for Port Arthur, Ont., 177 workers for the Ontario Hydro Commission and 74 C.P.R. track workers for Vancouver.

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Weather

Weather today and tomorrow, valid until midnight, April 25:

Synopsis—Rain is now falling on the southern B.C. coast in advance of a storm centre about 400 miles off shore. Cloudiness is general over most of the interior. Little general improvement is to be expected over the week-end.

Vancouver and vicinity; lower Fraser Valley — Rain today becoming cloudy with showers tonight. Cloudy with scattered showers Sunday. Winds southeasterly 15 occasionally gusty this afternoon. Light winds Sunday. Little change in temperature.

Georgia Straits — Rain today. Cloudy with showers tonight. Scattered showers Sunday. Winds light increasing to southeast 20 this afternoon. Little change in temperature.

West Coast Vancouver Island—Continuous rain becoming intermittent late afternoon. Cloudy with showers tonight and Sunday. Winds light increasing to southeast 30 during the morning. Little change in temperature.

To 9 a.m. Today

	Min.	Max.	Precip.
Montreal	37	55	
Toronto	47	60	.13
North Bay	36	67	
Port Arthur	38	41	.39
Kenora	43	54	.36
Winnipeg	47	58	.32
Brandon	44	52	1.17
The Pas	40	52	
Regina	38	52	
Saskatoon	35	47	
Prince Albert	35	41	.27
North Battleford	33	39	.56
Swift Current	38	54	.34
Medicine Hat	39	61	
Lethbridge	40	62	
Calgary	36	56	
Edmonton	32	54	
Kamloops	38	61	
Penticton	36	58	.05
Vancouver	43	55	.06
Victoria	43	53	.08
Cranbrook	30	57	
Crescent Valley	32	55	.10
Prince Rupert	36	49	
Prince George	34	54	.05
Seattle	45	59	
Portland	44	56	
Chicago	61	83	.10
San Francisco	47	59	
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New York	48	66	
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

A sound film for young parents, doctors, nurses and teachers, produced by Dr. Gesell, director Yale Clinic of Child Development. Fascinating study of physical, emotional development of early childhood. Sponsored by Nurses' School Association of Victoria. Discussion leader, Violet Ashdown. Tuesday, April 27, 8 p.m., Spencers' Auditorium, "Chamber of Commerce." Admission 35c. ***

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A Penny Fair arranged by the First West Rangers, First West Guide Company, Fourth West Guide Company and Third West Cathedral Brownie Pack, on Saturday, May 1, 1948, in Memorial Hall, at 7.30 p.m. Penny to come, penny to go. Refreshment counter. Home cooking and candy stalls, games of skill and sideshows, miscellaneous stalls. Heigh-Ho, Come to the Fair! ***

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Victoria Symphony Concert with guest artist Denise Mara, May 3. Box office opens Monday, Spencer's Radio Dept. $2.50, $2.00, $1.50, $1.00. ***

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Winners of tombola prizes, St. Ann's Academy, April 22. First prize, Mr. J. Cox, 835 Humboldt Street; 2nd, Mr. George Cox, View Street; 3rd, Mr. Ray Cote, 1011 Fairfield Road; 4th, Miss A. Gemme, 27 Ingleside Avenue, Worcester, Mass.; 5th, Mrs. M. de Macedo, 1330 Gladstone Avenue; 6th, Mr. Kersey, 1246 Fairfield Road; 7th, Mrs. Anne Speak, Box 1495, R.R. 3; 8th, Sister M. Luke; 9th, Mr. L. E. McFarland, 852 North Park Street; 10th, Mr. Hugh Burnett, 397 Constance Avenue. ***

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Trapped In Auto, Drowns In Ditch

VANCOUVER (CP)—Trapped in his automobile, Charles C. Lindsay, 31, of Suburban Burnaby, was drowned in a water-filled ditch.

The accident occurred on Lulu Island Friday night. There were no eyewitnesses

The car plunged off the roadway and overturned. Fire department and police worked half an hour to extricate the body.

Shows How Painters Influenced Early Photographers

The influence of the world's great painters on photographic portraiture, was the subject of an address given by Ken McAllister at a recent meeting of the Y.M.C.A. Camera Club.

Dealing with some of the works of Renoir, Frans Hals, Reynolds and Daguerre, the speaker showed how these famous painters had influenced both early and modern portrait photographers.

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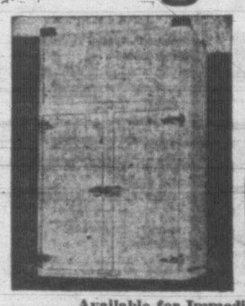

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U.S. Mine Operators May Put Pensions Up To Union

WASHINGTON (AP)—Mine operators in the United States talked today of tossing the whole thorny problem of miners' pensions into the lap of union leader John L. Lewis.

An industry spokesman said operators were considering a plan under which they would pay Lewis' United Mine Workers 10 cents a ton on all coal mined, instead of paying it into a fund. Then they would let the union use the money as it sees fit.

The aim would be to remove all operator control over miners' pensions and avoid disputes like the one which caused the six-week mine strike now ending.

The present contract, due to expire June 30, has piled up a $33,000,000 pension fund from a 10-cent tonnage royalty paid by the operators.

An agreement reached by two of the fund's trustees—Lewis for the miners and Senator Styles Bridges (Rep., N.H.), neutral member, would pay $100 monthly pensions to all miners over 62 years of age who retired since May 29, 1946, with more than 20 years in the pits.

The operators, through Ezra Van Horn, the industry trustee, opposed that settlement. Van Horn has attacked the Bridges-Lewis agreement in court, arguing that the Taft-Hartley Act would be violated if any payments are made without his signature.

Nevertheless, the strike which started March 15 was on the way to a peaceful end today and normal production was expected by Monday.

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Warrants Issued

WELLAND, Ont. (CP)—Acting Crown Attorney Allan Brooks of Welland County said today warrants had been issued for the arrest of Michael Jackson, Great Lakes director of the Canadian Seamen's Union (T.L.C.), and three other union men.

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Marshall Back In U.S. To Deal With Big Events

WASHINGTON (AP) — State Secretary Marshall returned to Washington today to deal with the "important events" he said had necessitated his leaving the Bogota Inter-American Conference.

Talking with reporters on his arrival, Marshall gave no indication of the "important events" which he said Friday in Bogota were causing his return to Washington.

He said he was sorry to leave the Bogota conference before the end, but added that he expected it would wind up next week with agreement on a number of important matters.

"There remains the problem of economic consideration, but very good progress has been made in reaching a decision regarding many issues involved," he said.

Before leaving the riot-scarred capital of Colombia Friday night in President Truman's plane, Gen. Marshall told fellow delegates at the conference only that "important events demand my return to Washington."

PROBLEMS PILE UP

Officials expressed the view that Marshall was coming home not to deal with any particular crisis but to tackle problems which accumulated since he left March 28. These include:

1. The drive within the United Nations to secure a truce between the Jews and Arabs in Palestine, set up a trusteeship government and possibly send an international peace-keeping force, including U.S. troops, to the Holy Land.

2. Decisions by the U.S. government on how to give military support to the projected Western European Union. President Truman told a press conference Thursday he soon might have an announcement on this major foreign policy development.

3. The continuing critical situation in Berlin, which still is the worst trouble spot in relations between the west and Russia.

4. Possible Soviet reaction to the Communist defeat in the Italian elections.

Manchester United Wins Football Cup Over Blackpool, 4-2

LONDON (Reuter)—Manchester United won the coveted Football Association Cup before 99,000 fans at Wembley Stadium here today when they downed Blackpool 4 to 2. Blackpool led at half-time, 2 to 1.

It was the first time in 39 years that Manchester United reached the finals. Manchester's previous cup victory was in 1909 when they defeated Bristol City 1 to 0.

In royal blue shirts and white shorts Manchester played a fast dazzling game but only managed to win the cup by sheer stamina after being one goal down at half-time.

It was one of the most thrilling finals seen at Wembley for years and both teams won not only hysterical applause from their supporters but excited approval from the King and Queen, Princess Margaret, Prime Minister Attlee, and other government leaders.

Manchester were the heroes of the day but Blackpool, in contrasting white shirts and black shorts, gave them a tough fight for three-quarters of the game.

NEW YORK (AP) — Jennie Tourel Metropolitan Opera mezzo-soprano, canceled a concert tour of the Holy Land "because the people of Palestine will have more pressing things to do than listening to music," she said today.

Daylight Saving Time Goes Into Effect Tonight

Daylight saving time goes into effect at midnight tonight. British Columbians, going to bed tonight, should take their alarm clocks in hand and move the hands ahead one hour and they are all set for the next five months.

Vancouver Island Coach Lines Ltd. and B.C. Electric Railway will go on daylight saving time so local travelers need have no worries. With their clocks set ahead one hour, all they have to do is carry on as usual. The buses will be there at the same time as usual.

ON STANDARD TIME

Trans-Canada Air Lines, the C.P.R.'s B.C. Coast Services, the E. & N. Railway and the Black Ball Ferry Line are remaining on Pacific standard time, but even this is easy to work out if you just look at your schedule and add one hour to the time shown on the schedules. Then you will be on your own time.

To aid travelers in the province who are using any of these services, some schedules are being advanced so that departures are an hour earlier on standard time.

For example, the B.C.C.S. midnight boat will leave Victoria for Vancouver at 11 standard time, instead of midnight, standard time. In other words, to those on daylight saving time who are still traveling according to their own clocks, the boats will be leaving at midnight, daylight saving time.

Other B.C.C.S. services which are being advanced include the Vancouver-Nanaimo service, the Gulf Islands service and the Sidney-Steveston run.

The E. and N. Railway schedule, also based on standard time, will also be advanced one hour, so that residents on daylight saving time will simply take the train at the same time as usual, according to their clocks.

To help out travelers who want to be in Vancouver at the same time as usual, T.C.A., operating on standard time, is adding one earlier flight. This new flight will leave Patricia Bay at 7.15 standard time and arrive at Vancouver at 7.45, standard time. In other words, it will leave the airport here at 8.15 daylight saving time and arrive in Vancouver one-half hour later.

On Sept. 26, B.C. will be back on standard time.

Cabinet Secretary Fired In British Drive On Reds

LONDON (CP) — Britain's drive against Communists and fellow travelers was pushed forward today on a broadening front.

These were the principle developments:

1. Miss Ann George, private secretary to George Tomlinson, minister of education, has been suspended. On April 12 she was given 24 hours to state whether she was a member of the Communist Party. She refused to answer.

2. A list of other civil servants suspected of Communist or Fascist sympathies has been sent to a government advisory panel. Other suspensions may follow. Under government policy those suspended may be given other civil service jobs where security is not involved.

3. The Labor Party executive will meet next Wednesday, when its 27 members will decide whether any Labor members of Parliament should be expelled for sending a telegram of support to the pro-Communist Socialist group led by Pietro Nemmi in the Italian election campaign. The names of 37 members appeared on the telegram, but several since have said their names were used due to a misunderstanding or without their knowledge.

4. Five members of the General Council of the Trades Union Congress are among the chief supporters of a new committee designed to conduct a campaign against Communist influence in unions. Their campaign has not been endorsed by the T.U.C. or by individual unions, but is looked on as the strongest effort of the kind to check the Communist advance.

Miss George was the first civil servant to be suspended under the government's policy of removing Communists, Fascists and fellow travelers from civil service posts where they might endanger security.

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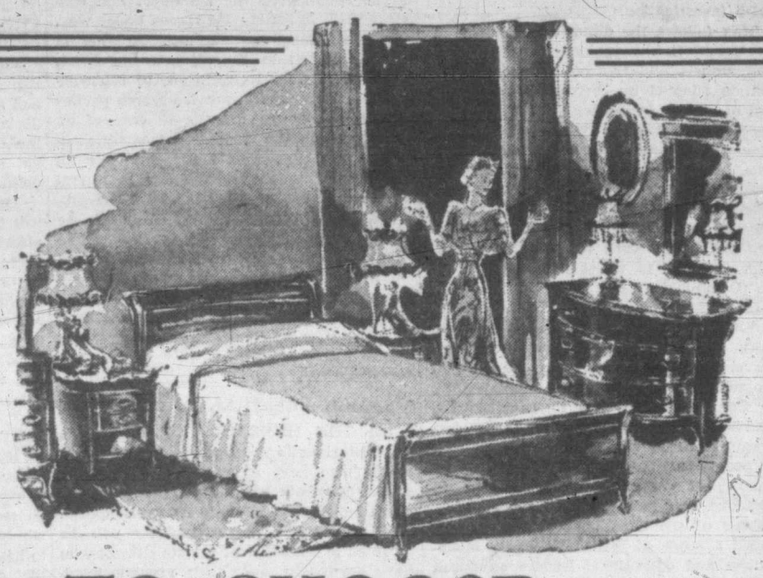

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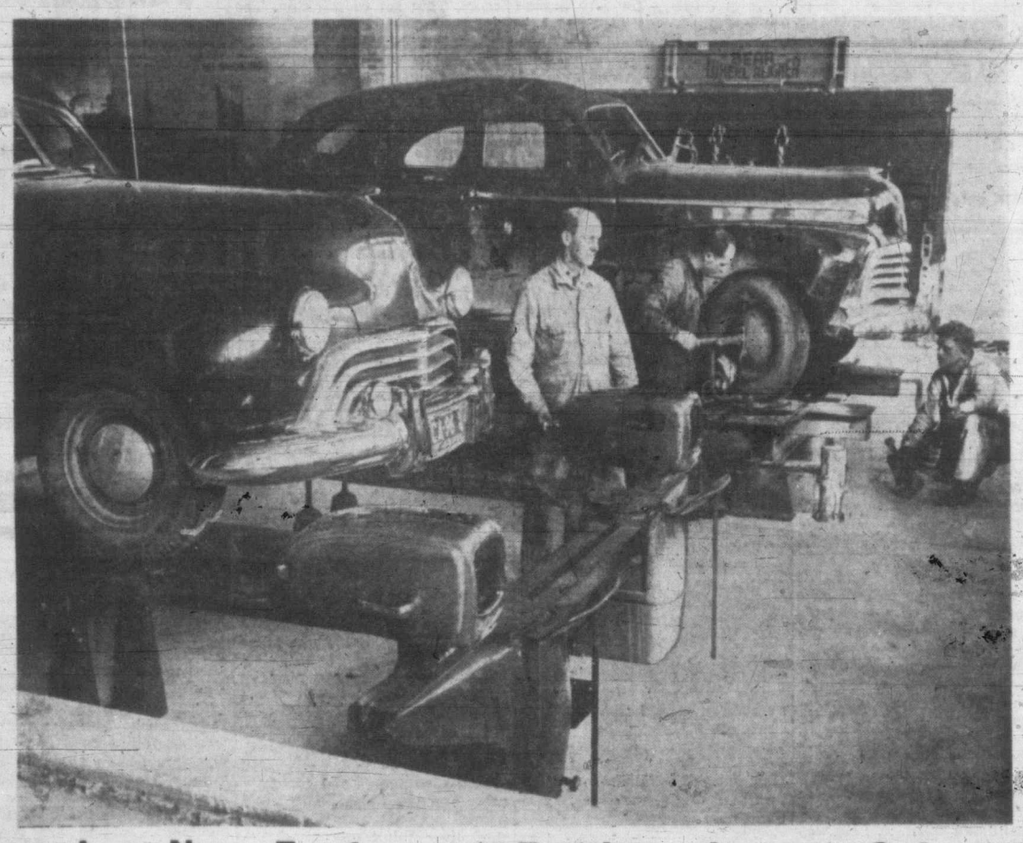

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INSPECTION INVITED

Alleged Brutality Of Police Probed

KANSAS CITY, Kas. (AP) — C.I.O. claims of "police brutality" touched off an investigation ordered by Mayor Clark E. Tucker in the packinghouse strike here today.

All but two of 11 persons sent to hospitals when 70 police—the entire city force—routed pickets Friday from the union hall near the Cudahy Packing Company plant had been released Friday night.

Ralph M. Baker, district director of the union, said 100 persons were injured less severely than those who entered hospitals.

Today the union was under a temporary restraining order against illegal picketing. The district court order was issued shortly after the violent battle at the union hall.

TRIESTE (AP)—Some 1,500 Communist workers at the San Marco yards staged a one-hour sit-down strike today. They were protesting an Allied Military Government order barring daytime demonstrations by pro-Slav groups in Trieste's ventral Piazza Unita.

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AN ELEMENT OF PRECISION

THROUGHOUT THE DEMOCRACIES, where the subtle nature of Communist infiltration is now clearly understood, governments and other agencies are taking action to protect themselves from the dangers of a fifth column. In Britain, for instance, the drive against those who willingly work for the Kremlin has been pushed forward on a broadening front. Civil servants under suspicion of owing less loyalty to the Crown than to Marshal Stalin are under investigation.

This follows the direct action taken by the United States against Communists in labor unions and the generally successful position adopted by Premier Robert Schuman of France in dealing with the menace posed to his nation by the activities of those who operate under Moscow's instructions. In Canada, the federal authorities have largely left to the good sense of the unions themselves the matter of dealing with the emissaries of the U.S.S.R. who have sought to work through the honest body of labor to effect ends opposed to this Dominion's ideals.

One of the encouraging developments of this united front against those elements which represent policies at variance with democratic welfare has been the general recognition of the technique employed by the Communists to gain their ends. Exposures throughout Canada of the subterranean methods employed have informed the people and placed them on guard. Inevitably, of course, some have gone to ridiculous extremes, as in the case of a member of the Canadian Parliament who labeled a score of British Columbia industrialists and educational leaders as dupes of the extreme left.

Such incidents as the latter provide a useful warning. None wishes to see the fight relaxed against influences detrimental to the country. But it is important to remain clear-sighted and balanced in forming judgments. In another column on this page the other day, Mr. Walter Lippmann pointed to a danger which he foresaw in the United States relative to that nation's attitude. In his words:

> The stereotyped assumption that all discontent is Communist-inspired, that all discontent emanates from Moscow, can be as fatal to American hopes and policies as it is contrary to American traditions and genius. For America will never lead the nations to freedom and justice if in her anxiety about the Red menace she becomes so hysterical about the Red scare that she can no longer distinguish between democracy and reaction, and loses sympathy for and touch with the suffering and bewildered masses of mankind.

The eminent columnist was dealing with conditions in the United States. He nevertheless implied a message for all who fight for democracy. To achieve results, "the aim of the marksman must be precise. He must see and recognize his target, not fire indiscriminately into the woods which may, or may not, conceal the object at which he wishes to shoot.

'PINK SLIP' CHANGES

IT IS NOT THE WISH OF BRITISH COlumbians to have amendments to the Motor Vehicle Act, commonly known as the "pink slip" regulations, weakened to a point where the legislation fails to accomplish its purpose. The aim of the law in this respect is to ensure compensation for those who suffer personal or property injury through car accidents in which the other party is to blame. As a corollary, it is hoped more careful driving will be encouraged.

Changes recommended by the Attorney-General to the Legislature this week, however, should aid materially in removing from the application of the law unjustifiable inconveniences that arose from the regulations in the form in which they were first put into operation. Of specific concern have been the disadvantages under which a visiting motorist has been placed. Lacking a "pink slip," he may have been subjected to unnecessary irritation and actual hardship through no fault of his own. Such a possibility contained within itself a threat to tourist travel from the United States to this part of Canada. Amendments brought in by the Attorney-General will help to correct that unfortunate condition. It is not the intention to relieve visitors of responsibility for compensation when they are at fault. But enforcement methods will be changed to release them from some needless delays and inconveniences.

PROBLEMS OF PORTIA

JUDGE HELEN KINNEAR, TORONTO, who is not enamored of traditional court dress, told the Women's Law Association of Ontario the other day that "We ought to be smart enough to get together and work out some kind of feminine attire that would be dignified but easier to wear."

Proposed alterations in the garb demanded by the courts of this country would not necessarily injure the dignity of such institutions. Nothing but discomfort has been lost with the abolition of the wig. But with a masculine cynicism we wonder how the feminine members of the bench and bar would change the fashion. The strange concoctions women sometimes wear on their heads and some adverse features of the "new look" are not reassuring. Moreover, the average wife's penchant for insisting that her spouse don boiled shirt and stiff collar on certain occasions seems to call for some retribution, even if it is inflicted only on that section of womanhood which devotes itself to the practice of law.

NEIGHBORLY AID

THE HAPPY AND SUCCESSFUL COMpletion of the search for 3-year-old Theresa Eddy, lost overnight in the Saseenos area of Sooke, has brought great credit to more than 100 men who in true neighborly spirit volunteered to look for the child. From logging camps, sawmills and nearby dwellings they turned out, some of them all night, to do what they could to restore the youngster to her anxious parents. There is a warming spirit of friendliness about such an occurence, made doubly pleasant by the fortunate result of the search. Constable A. W. Quinn, of the Provincial Police, is to be commended for his quick and efficient work in getting the rescue under way.

A few days ago we took occasion in these columns to congratulate the South Vancouver Island Rangers on the organization's preparations to provide search parties and a bloodhound for use in case of an emergency in the woods. It was little expected that they would so soon have an opportunity to employ the dog in a real search, but the hunt for the little girl provided an early test of ability. Although the dog was not instrumental in finding the youngster, whose tracks had been blotted out by the tide, it showed marked success in following routes the child had taken during the previous day or two, and thereby established its value as a life-saving factor in future emergencies.

GARDEN FESTIVAL

FOR THE HUNDREDS OF GREATER Victorians and visitors from distant points who have enjoyed previous spring garden festivals here, the renewal of the event next week will hold its usual appeal. And once again the community will be indebted to a number of private citizens who have graciously made their grounds available for inspection by specially-conducted tours.

It is natural that this favored region, proud of its gardens and the climate which, despite a late season this year, promotes such early growth, should enjoy this medium of publicity in the northwest. Of the many attractions Victorians can boast, the city's homes and their grounds are outstanding assets. They add to the appeal which draws tourists and are a potent force in the magnet which brings visitors back as settlers. But the commercial interests which they automatically assist are a secondary consideration to those whose garden will be open to the public. A finer motive inspires their hospitality. It is the desire to share with others the enjoyments they themselves gain from the floral grandeur they have helped to create. And if they derive a wholesome satisfaction from the compliments they receive, they are entitled to accept such tributes with an honest pride.

ALL CHANGE

FARMERS WHOSE LIVESTOCK INSIST on retaining standard time, and parents with children who balk at going to bed while the sun is high will voice their usual misgivings, but most British Columbians will welcome the advent of Day'ight Saving Time at midnight tonight. Although it means rising an hour earlier in the morning, the extra hour of daylight gained at the end of the day by setting the clocks ahead provides an opportunity for summer evening activities which otherwise would not be possible.

Of course, as it is often pointed out, the same effect could be achieved without changing the clocks, merely by a universal agreement to rise at 6 instead of 7, open the office at 8 instead of 9, quit work at 4 instead of 5, and go to bed at 10 instead of 11. But this would require an adjustment in the minds of thousands of residents, an exertion of willpower and a rearrangement of living which would be beyond the capacity of many. It is far easier, despite the dislocations involved in transportation schedules, to let the clocks make the change, leaving us free to fool ourselves that time is on our side.

SUDDEN UNFURLING

WITH STARTLING SUDDENNESS, THE trees have broken out their bunting in the last few days. Where a short time ago the chestnuts guardedly exposed the tips of blossom spikes, and grudgingly revealed glimpses of the new green of their leaves, now the twig which will bear the flowers is fully formed and the foliage waves spatulate hands in the breeze. The oak, a cantankerous old rheumatic in the early spring, has suddenly unwrapped its branch-end knobs in expanding clusters of unfamiliar verdure. The birch, trailing stringers like untidy wisps of poorly dressed hair, has found for them bright emerald lustres that lack only a tinkle to seem charmingly artificial. The maple, so long a regal framework of spreading but naked limbs, has pushed forth and unfolded the national emblem in a delicacy of hue that matches the softness of April rain.

And in cultivated ground, fruit trees are making their snowballs, poised for the wind to scatter their blossom flakes over a fertile earth. It is a time to gladden the heart with the new beauty of the trees.

Walter Lippmann

ON THE ITALIAN ELECTION

ALTHOUGH FIGURES and details are not yet available to prove it, it is highly probable that the Socialists in Italy have in considerable numbers already broken away from the Communists, and that its decisive defeat may mean the dissolution of the Popular Front. If that is correct, then in the next few weeks as the new government is formed, the crucial question will be whether de Gasperi and Saragat can agree on measures of reform and reconstruction, and on a distribution of offices, which will reunite the Socialists and bring them into a coalition with the Christian Democrats.

Nothing less than this can offer durable hope of stable government in Italy. We must not over-estimate the present results of the election. The Communists were decisively defeated in the voting; the Christian Democrats got a good plurality; with the Saragat Socialists and some of the more dependable splinter parties, there is a fairly big non-Communist majority.

BUT A 60 TO 70 per cent majority, when it is a coalition, is not really good enough to govern Italy well during the trying years ahead. It needs to be enlarged and strengthened by a divorce between the Socialists and the Communists not only in the Chamber of Deputies and the Senate but also in the labor unions and in local politics.

Only when the Communists are isolated will their power to cause trouble be under effective control. To do this it is not only necessary to exclude them from the new government; it is necessary also to reunite and reorganize the Socialists so that they may be included in the government. This is, of course, primarily an Italian problem in which the statesmanship of de Gasperi and the views of the Vatican will be the determining factors.

BUT THE INFLUENCE of the United States is great. The security and the sustenance of the Italian nation depend, unhappily, upon America, and therefore the United States will be answerable for how wisely she exerts her influence. She seems to have given the Italians the impression, as that admirable reporter Mr. Stewart Alsop has just said in a dispatch from Italy, that the U.S. is "a reactionary Santa Claus." The impression needs to be corrected. For unless the non-Communist coalition identifies itself with the reconstruction of Italy, not merely with anti-Bolshevism and relief, the electoral victory the United States is celebrating today will gradually become rancid.

A wise policy on the part of the United States depends upon a true appraisal of the political situation in western Europe.

THE ITALIAN election has confirmed the experience of thirty years: that the Communists, without the Red Army, cannot get and hold the control of a European nation by election, by propaganda, infiltration, or a coup d'etat. The Communist doctrine appeals only to a minority, less than 25 per cent. It is a minority which can cause trouble but against the army and the police it cannot seize power.

The more trouble it causes the more it arouses the resistance of the other elements of the nation. When the Red Army cannot intervene, the national forces can always defeat the Communists in an election and they can and they will crush Communists if it comes to an insurrection.

BUT—AND THIS IS the crucial proviso—if the non-Communists are not able to govern well, if the Communists make enough trouble to paralyze the government and the national life, then the beneficiaries of bad government and disorder will be a determined minority of Fascists or Fascist fellow-travelers. That is what happened after the first world war and it may happen again after the second.

It is likely to happen unless Americans, who exercise such influence, understand that in western Europe—outside the reach of the Red Army—the real danger is not that the Communists will get the power. It is that constitutional governments, unable to govern well and to cure the discontent which the Communists exploit, will collapse as between the two wars they did in Italy and Germany, Poland, Hungary, and Romania, and be succeeded by war-like Fascist dictatorships.

IF THE United States is to avoid grave misunderstanding of the political situation in Europe, she has, I contend, to realize the radical difference between Communism within and Communism beyond the orbit of the Red Army. After the Italian election that is no longer a most probable hypothesis but the first postulate for a successful analysis and prognosis of European conditions.

The second postulate, which is not so conclusively confirmed but is nevertheless most probably true, is that outside the orbit of the Red Army in Europe, the real danger is not that Communism will win but that it will provoke Fascism.

This is, I believe, the substantial meaning of Mr. Churchill's remark in his memoirs that "Fascism was the shadow or ugly child of Communism."

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Actually, Mr. Truman stuck his hand out of the window to signal a left turn, waved to a few pedestrian progressives, but didn't turn left.—Henry A. Wallace, referring to the gesture the President made to U.S. liberals and organized labor in his State of the Union message.

Springtime In The Park

Clumps of daffodils add a topical touch to a familiar Beacon Hill Park scene pictured by Halkett.

Beast In A Gilded Cage

NO SATISFACTORY explanation has ever been offered to justify the fate of the early worm that became the breakfast of the early bird. The sophisticated suggestion that the worm was not up and about early, that he was wandering over an uneven course on his way home from a late night, seems inadequate. It casts a slur on the whole family of respectable worms, some of whom probably come out early to see the first robin or sip the morning dew.

We mention this inadequacy in human interpretation of animal reactions because it is all too prevalent. In the controversy over the circus animals, for instance, no one has risen to champion the lesser animals which fall prey to lions and tigers in the latters' natural habitat. We have a feeling that if a poll were taken among the gazelles and antelope, that the overwhelming majority would be in favor of incarceration for the predators. And despite their apparent docility, we can even imagine these creatures taking a somewhat unholy satisfaction in the belief that the circus animals are prodded and occasionally whipped — although we are informed that such methods of training are no longer followed.

It is difficult for any human to attempt to analyse the thoughts or emotions of animals in captivity. Under any conditions, they are usually given food and shelter and protection from such natural enemies as might prowl the jungle. They are, of course deprived of their freedom. Which brings us to a thought experience we underwent this week:

It may have been the barred effects which arise from the newly-installed Venetian blinds that provoked the comparison, but one sympathetic soul who came to the office recently to champion the cause of dumb animals remarked that lions and tigers were often caged all day in a space no bigger than our room. That set us thinking. The lady seems to have a point. But whether it is in favor of circus animals or editorial writers, we are not quite sure.—A. H. S.

Ruins Enshrine Their Pride

By LEWIS MILLIGAN

PRIDE goeth before a fall, and a haughty spirit before destruction. That Scripture was never more tragically fulfilled than in the case of modern Germany. The devastation of German cities and the utter hopelessness of the German people today present a picture of dreadful contrast to that of the pompous magnificence and swaggering assurance of Nazi Germany.

PRIDE AND ARROGANCE

But that pride and arrogance did not begin with Hitler; he merely revived them in their crudest form. They began with Bismarck and rose to their height with the uniting of the German states in an empire after the Franco-Prussian War of 1870. The sweeping victory over France went to the Prussian's head and he strutted before the world as a mighty conqueror.

Richard Whiteing, in his autobiography published in 1915, recalls his first visit to Berlin in the 'eighties. "The German," he says, "was now to realize himself, in a sort of patriotic brag, as the heir of all the ages, and as the chosen one of the scheme of Providence, for the shaping of the human spirit. . . . He was now to flower into the ruler rather than the mere citizen of the world . . . a being quite apart from the evolution of the race, with Prussia for its hard core.

"The military heroes reeked of self-sufficiency, from the officer of the guard to the humblest captain of a marching regiment."

That is a picture of the pride that went before the fall of the Kaiser. We are well acquainted with the picture of its revival under Hitler, and we know how great was the fall thereof by the published photographs of bomb-shattered German cities and the degradation of the people.

EVEN THE GHOSTS

"Even the ghosts have fled," writes Anne O'Hare McCormick in a wireless story from Berlin to the New York Times, in which she describes the crumbling ruin of Hitler's Chancellery. "Who remembers now the procession of frightened kings and trembling statesmen that passed through the endless halls and ante-rooms that led to Hitler's audience chamber? . . . the vistas of blood-red marble and golden eagles poised for the kill were meant to overpower — and they did. . . . Here came Mototov and Mussolini, Beck and Laval, Anthony Eden and Lord Halifax, Hacha, Horthy and Matsuoka. Presidents, foreign ministers, generals and special emissaries from nearly every country in Europe found their way here to protest or plead, admonish or submit."

With each year the great hulk of Hitler's chancellery sinks deeper into ruin. "The walls and ceilings sagging by bombs and shellfire have fallen in," writes Mrs. McCormick. "A hill of rubble, the remains of the rotunda prevent the visitor from walking from the vast entrance hall into the vaster hall beyond. Rain, wind and frost lash through the roofless galleries and gaping windows to eat away what is left of the floors and panelling. . . . Of the colossus built to the scale of Hitler's ambition, built to be the capitol of conquered Europe, only this corpse remains."

ABJECT POVERTY

To complete the picture we have only to think of the abject poverty and misery to which the haughty world rulers have been reduced. The survivors of the Nazi Party, says Mrs. McCormick, are "utterly disillusioned. All groups — politicians and scholars, engineers and doctors—are hungry, threadbare and poorly housed, with the result that they think disconnectedly, with the margins of their mind. . . ."

Well might the nations stand in awe in the presence of so terrible a judgment.

Letter To The Editor

TRAINED ANIMALS

I do not approve of trained animal shows, knowing the suffering with which they are connected. Conditions have not changed drastically. Some years ago after viewing a local performance, I went on the stage, but naturally did not see the training methods. Dogs and monkeys were being used. Then I had an interview with a member of the troupe who told me of the sufferings inflicted on the animals, their deprivations, confinement in small cages, transportation discomforts, poor food, etc. She said there was always cruelty, and that this particular show was not one of the worst. She found it difficult to sleep at night, recollecting the horrors she had witnessed. Children should be taught that animals must not be exploited for their amusement. The reports I have in hand convince me that the circus is not an asset to a community.

DORA KITTO.
516 Scollard Building.

Forward Step

Financial Post

Reintroduction in the House of Commons of the proposed federal labor code has again revived interest in the question of uniformity in labor law throughout Canada.

There seems to be fairly general agreement that we need an all-embracing, nationally-uniform labor law. Labor is for it without reservation. Management doesn't go that far, but there is general agreement here too.

SATISFYING

Ottawa Journal

Consumption of spirits in Ontario has been reduced since the cocktail bars went into operation, Premier Drew reports. That is a satisfying and healthy development.

Air-Migration

Edmonton Journal

Settlers who came to Canada a hundred years ago would never have believed that the trip that took them 90 days would one day take only 90 hours.

Today, a family may leave England or Holland on a Monday and be more or less "settled" in a new home half-way across Canada in time to go to church the next Sunday.

GOOD INVESTMENT

Montreal Gazette

Canadian experience, taste, and training are predominantly in aviation. Funds expended in training and equipping a disproportionately large air force would pay larger dividends in national security than any other possible investment of the national treasure.

Global Survey

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press News Analyst

Red Star, the Soviet army newspaper published in Moscow, says imperialist powers (unnamed but obviously the major western democracies) are sending two to three times as many spies into Russia as into any "bourgeois" state. The paper demands alertness throughout the Soviet armed forces to defeat imperialist espionage.

Well, I don't know the ratio of spies assigned to Russia as compared with "bourgeois" states, but it wouldn't be surprising if Red Star were right. Personally, I should be greatly disturbed and shocked to learn that the democracies didn't have an army of spies in Russia and Bolshevist satellite countries—just as the Soviet Union has in every other country on the face of the globe.

SPIES EVERYWHERE

Naturally governments don't advertise their secret agents, but every major power has them.

Of course, when the dogs of war begin to bay at the moon, the spies start to scurry about. Consequently there is much more activity now in all countries because of the dangerous clash between the Communist bloc and the democracies.

The employment of spies perhaps strikes the average person as unethical, but the custom is general. Most countries employ agents to try to ferret out the secrets of other countries, especially in times of stress. It's an unpleasant thing to contemplate, still, when sabres are rattling like castanets it's a matter of national security for countries to know the strength and plans of their enemies.

ONLY ONE SIN

The real sin is on the agent's own head—when he gets caught. He is the one who has to pay, frequently with his life. When an agent is caught he generally has to face the music alone, for his government obviously is almost never in position to acknowledge him and back him up.

It's the code of the secret agent to take his punishment with sealed lips.

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CONVICT CULTURE

C. Hunt in the B.B.C. London Letter

"I lecture to every type of organization. Literary societies, luncheon clubs, secretarial colleges, hospitals, and—best of all, I think—prisons. Prison audiences are the best in the world, though I've never quite made out whether a lecture by me is part of the prisoners' punishment or not!"

TRUE LIVING

Toronto Star

Every person owes obligations to his family, the community and humanity. In the discharge of these he should find increasing satisfaction and contentment without the loss of a single legitimate thrill. Everybody needs to relax at times, but any influence that fosters the notion that nothing matters but "having fun," distorts the true meaning of life.

MYSTERIOUS BEHAVIOUR

The Times of London

When, or how, or why the flex connecting the receiver to the telephone instrument managed to writhe itself into an unsightly skein and thus reduce its effective length by about two-thirds nobody knows; but that is what it has done and will, if disentangled, do again. The average subscriber does not, while he is telephoning, dance, or even walk, round and round the instrument, holding the receiver to his ear; if he did, he would have no right to be surprised or puzzled when the flex corkscrewed itself into a huddle about the size and shape of a small lobster.

All the evidence suggests that we are here up against some elemental power which, residing in the flex, twists it quietly and unobtrusively round and round until, when you lift the receiver, the whole instrument is jerked off the table and, with any luck, broken. It is not very nice for a large proportion of the population to have to live in homes and work in offices where this process is in dark, continuous operation, quite apart from the fact that an immense number of man-hours must be wasted daily by people dangling the receiver so that it can twiddle round and straighten out the flex. The government is spending a great deal of money on scientific research and it does not seem too much to ask for some diversion of effort to deal with this problem when further postponement of the solution must have an adverse effect on national morale.

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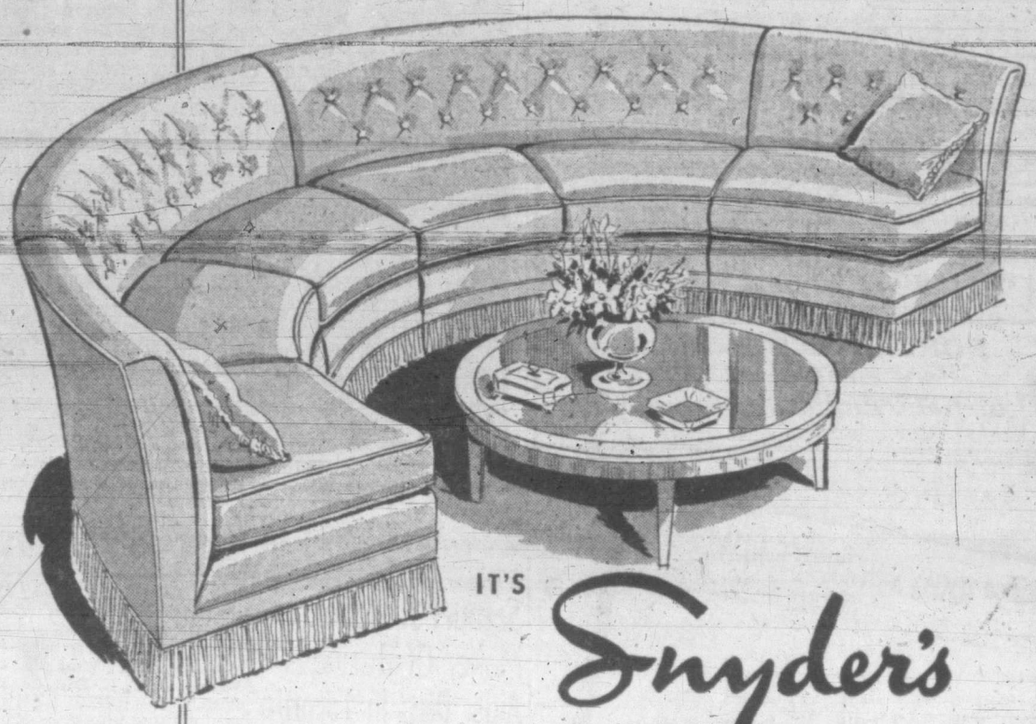

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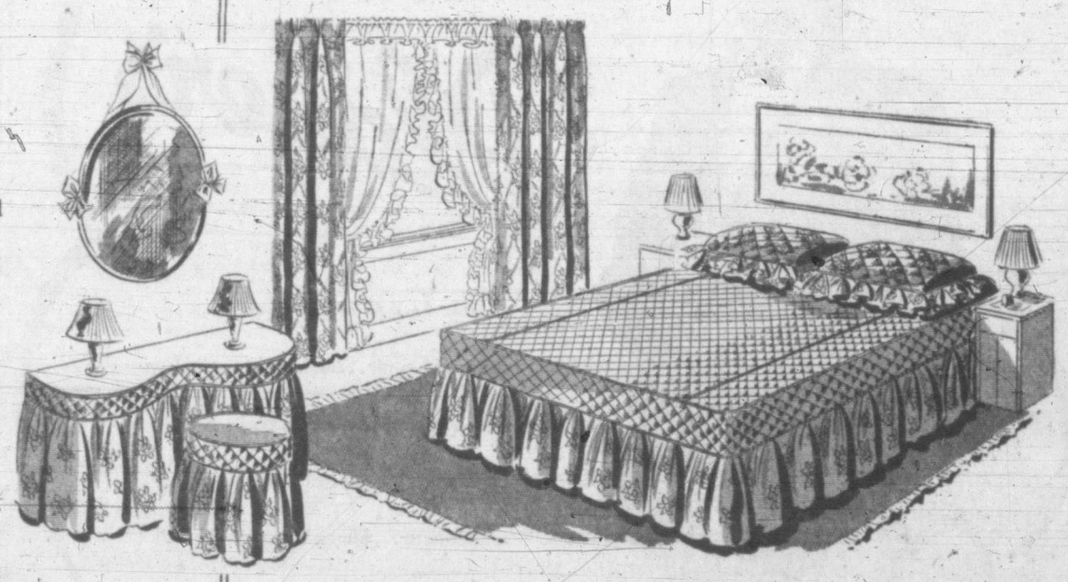

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Victoria Eagles Win Vancouver Island Trophy

Officers of Victoria Aerie No. 12, Fraternal Order of Eagles, Wednesday night were presented with the Vancouver Island Ritualistic Competition Trophy by Mayor Percy George, right, for triumph over all other island aeries. Team members, holding individual trophies, are, left to right: Fred Rockett, conductor; Ernie Mottishaw, vice-president; Jack Rose, chaplain; Joe Wright, junior past president; Bill Bridgewood, past president; Pat Payne, treasurer, and Cecil Holt, president. Mayor George holds the aerie trophy.

Samuel J. Moore, Maker Of Business Aids, Dies In Toronto

TORONTO (CP) — Samuel John Moore, 89, who introduced the carbon-paper counter sales book to retail business and used the proceeds to build an industrial empire, died Friday.

He insisted on remaining in Canada although his Moore Corporation Ltd. controlled manufacture of filing systems, business forms, paper boxes, commercial machinery and equipment through factories from Montreal to California. Assets of the corporation totaled $23,000,000 in 1946.

The "Moore Group" in 1946 comprised the American Sales Book-Gilman Fanfold division, Niagara Falls and Elmira, N.Y.; Pacific Manifold Book division, Emeryville and Los Angeles, Calif; Southern Division, Denton, Texas; Midwest Cosby-Wirth division, Minneapolis, Minn.; Moore Business Forms Western Ltd., Winnipeg and Vancouver; F. N. Burt Co. Inc., Buffalo, N.Y.; Dominion Paper Box Co. Ltd., Toronto; Kidder Press Co. Inc., Dover, N.H.

Born in England, Mr. Moore came to Canada with his parents in the late 60's.

He always insisted the carbon paper sales book idea stemmed from a suggestion by a friend. A simple sales book in which a single sheet of carbon paper could be inserted between pages to give both customer and proprietor a permanent record of purchase seemed certain to improve retail selling procedure.

With the backing of J. L. Morrisone, Toronto machinery manufacturer, the clerk and the publisher formed a syndicate to market the patent. From that successful syndicate came the Carter Crume Co. Ltd. and Mr. Moore's later projects to streamline business accounting systems.

Vancouver Staffs To Vote On Wages

VANCOUVER (CP) — Sixteen hundred outside civic employees here will vote April 30 on an agreement proposed by a three-man conciliation board, it was announced Friday.

Terms of the agreement will not be known until the men have voted.

Members of Local 28, Vancouver Civic Employees' Union, the workers asked for a 25-cent hourly increase.

If the demands are granted, cost to the city will exceed $800,000 yearly.

J. Edwin Eades, government appointee to the board, said if either party rejects the offer, the board will make a recommendation to the Minister of Labor for submission to both parties.

The men previously had rejected an offer of an eight-cent-an-hour increase for the first six months of the year and 10 cents for the second.

Dutch Ambassador To Honor Victorians

VANCOUVER (CP)—Dr. J. H. Van Reijen, Netherlands ambassador to Canada, will visit Vancouver April 26.

He will preside at an investiture at the Jericho Air Station at which he will present decorations awarded by the Netherlands government to Canadian soldiers.

Those invited to attend include: Maj.-Gen. B. M. Hoffmeister who will be made a Grand Officer of the Order of Orange Nassau, and Col. J. S. Adam, who will become a commander of the Order of Orange Nassau. Both are from Vancouver.

Capt. H. B. O. Robinson, Victoria, will be honored as a Knight of the Order of Orange Nassau, while L.-Sgt. J. C. P. MacDonald, Cranberry Lake, will receive a Bronze Lion.

Sgt. J. A. Bond, Victoria, and WO2. S. Dyson, Nanaimo, will be given the Bronze Cross, while S.-Sgt. D. M. Clarke, Bridal Falls, will be awarded a Meritorious Service Cross.

WINS AWARD—Douglas Le Pan, 34, first secretary in the office of Canada's High Commissioner in London, Eng., is one of six Canadians awarded fellowships by the John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation. He will be granted one year's leave of absence from the staff to write, according to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Le Pan of Toronto. His collection of poems, "The Wounded Prince," published early this year in England, was, in the opinion of his parents, the principal reason for the award.

Lawmakers' Work To Be Simplified

Members of the B.C. Legislature will probably have their lawmaking duties simplified and will be able to accomplish it more rapidly next session.

The Legislature has adopted a report of the public accounts and printing committee calling for the adoption of the Manitoba system for printing bills and amendments. Under this system provides that on the opposite page to the one listing the different section an explanation of the meaning is given. In the case of amendments the change they purport to make will be listed.

As the committee's report said "this would avoid hours of delving into the previous act in case of amendments and give a concise meaning of the intent of new bills."

The change was advocated by C.C.F. Opposition Leader Harold E. Winch to the committee. Previous attempts to have the system adopted were stymied by lack of printing materials during the war.

Printing of the explanations with the bills is expected to eliminate much questioning of ministers sponsoring the bills at the committee stage of the lawmaking process.

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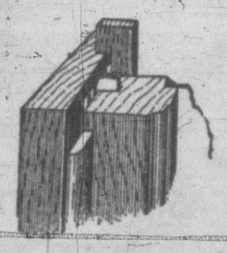

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R.V.Y.C. Ready For Busy 1948 Sailing Season

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Music for this evening's dance will be provided by the Bell Boys' Orchestra and refreshments will be served by the ladies' auxiliary to the club.

On May 9 there will be a parade of sail boats and power boats from the club which will circle the bay and then sail past Commodore Andrew Wright's Margaret D. for the traditional opening day salute to the commodore. The 1948 sailing season will then be declared officially open and tune-up races for all classes will follow.

The major event of the forthcoming season will be the Pacific International Yachting Association annual meet, to be held from June 28 to July 2, with the Victoria club as host.

R.V.Y.C. anticipates that entries for the meet will total more than 200 boats, with almost every well-known international racing class represented.

To start the new sailing season, the club notes five recent additions to the club fleet. All motor cruisers, they are: R. E. Coleman's 26-foot Birdwell; J. S. Ogilvie's 29-foot Tye Too; L. L. Pelland's 34-foot Barracuda; J. L. Mara's 34-foot Tuya, and John Meade's 26-foot Snow Goose.

The club also welcomes 18 new members: J. L. Mara, J. B. Lynch, W. J. Kenton, G. S. M. Warlow, W. H. Molson, L. L. Pelland, R. E. Coleman, R. P. Baldwin, F. Harley, J. S. Ogilvie, J. L. Thacker Jr., F. A. Packford, R. Vogel, Misses V. Kearton, I. D. Jones, E. M. Pendray, S. Southin and J. Saunders.

During the coming season, the club expects to see the new 56-foot schooner Black Dog, built by her owner, Bill Tellier; the two new 35-foot cutters built for Dr. B. E. Nickells and J. M. Green. The Lightning class will be enlarged by the addition of boats sailed by H. W. Gladwell, R. S. Moore, C. S. Watts and D. Roberts. Additions to the Star class will be sailed by George Dairmont and Logan Mayhew.

Other new additions will include Rear Commodore Max Young's new 34-foot motor cruiser and R. S. Olson's new 36-foot motor cruiser.

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The DOCTOR Says:

ADOLESCENCE IN GIRLS SHOULD BE EXPLAINED

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M.D.

Somewhere around the age of 13, girls reach a stage of their development commonly called adolescence. This is, of course, a completely normal development which happens each year to thousands of girls in the Canada.

When girls are instructed before this time as to what to expect and are told that the changes which occur are a perfectly normal step toward maturity, they should not be disturbed. It is, therefore, quite important for the mother or a physician to discuss the beginning of adolescence fully and frankly before the definite signs of it appear.

Information concerning adolescent changes should, of course, be given in a completely matter-of-fact way. A girl should be told that all girls her age are going through the same experience.

DELAY COMMON

The changes in girls do not always come at the same age nor are they completed at the same rate of speed. There is usually no cause for alarm if there is delay until 14 or 15, or if it starts before 13.

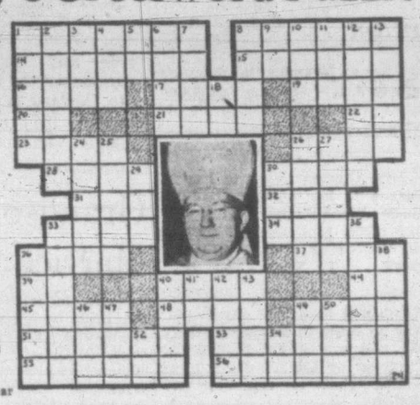
After adolescence begins and usually for two or three years afterward, girls are normally somewhat nervous and less consistent in their behavior than they were before and will be later. They often cry more easily, they become unreasonable in their actions with others for no apparent reason.

Parents should understand that these things do happen and they should not worry about the seeming personality change which often develops. When unreasonable behavior on the part of adolescent girls does break out, the parents should take it calmly but continue to be firm about those things which really matter.

Question—What is the cause of tetany? What are the symptoms?

Answer—There are several possible causes. One of them is related to small glands lying in the front of the neck, called parathyroids. Most important symptoms are spasms in the muscles, especially around the face.

Today's Crossword Puzzle



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14 Property recipient
15 Robs
16 Pace
17 Indentation
19 Petty quarrel
20 Symbol for selenium
21 Son of Seth (Bib.)
22 Myself
23 Ireland
26 Heavenly body
28 Pillip
30 Sacred bull
31 Sesame
32 Ocean
33 Depend
34 Hindu garment
36 Evergreens
37 Pealed
39 I am (contr.)
40 Wind
44 Trampose (ab.)
45 Ceremony
48 Bring to naught
49 Genus of shrubs
51 Trapper
53 Redactors
55 Tawdry
56 Times of the year

VERTICAL
1 Antiquated
2 Changes
3 Bind
4 Corded fabric
5 Preposition
6 Surrender
7 Sharp
8 Hops' kilns
9 Bassnet (ab.)
10 Whirlwinds
11 Pacific island
12 Beasts of burden
13 Compound ether
18 Negative
24 Bury
25 Beads
26 Lance
27 Papal triple crown
29 Plait
30 Onager
33 Italian seaport
35 Resident physician of hospital
36 He is the —— archbishop of Washington, D.C.
38 Green herbage
40 Twist into ringlets
41 Onward
42 Roman date
43 Vein
46 Light brown
47 Bitter vetch
49 Belongs to it
50 Also
52 Eye (Scot.)
54 Medical suffix

(Answer to previous puzzle)

P. & O. Line Issues First Sailing List Since Before War

The first comprehensive sailing list to be issued since before the war by the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Co. and British India Steam Navigation Co., covering 12 voyages in 1948 from the United Kingdom to the Orient, Australia and East Africa, has been announced by the Canadian Pacific, agents for the P. and O. and B.I. in Canada.

Several liners familiar to prewar travelers are back in regular service. Stratheden, Strathaird, Ranchi, Maloja and Mooltan are on the London-Colombo-Australian ports run. Canton and Cathage sail from Southampton for Ceylon, Malaya and Hongkong, while Mobassa and Mantola are in the London-East African service. The "Straths" and the Canton will also call at Bombay.

The Ranchi has been reconverted as an immigrant ship, and will be used entirely for the transportation of free and assisted passengers to Australia. As Mooltan and Maloja carry tourist passengers only, it is expected that the greater proportion will also consist of immigrants.

Of the ships of this famous line, Stratheden is perhaps the best known to Canadians. She was the first repatriation ship to sail up the St. Lawrence in July, 1945, with troops returning from the U.S. battlefronts.

Bids Opened For Sewers

Lowest tender for the construction of approximately six miles of storm sewers and culverts along Kingsway in Vancouver was submitted today to the provincial works department by Baynes, Manning Ltd. The firm tendered to build the sewers for $179,601.

Other tenders, opened by Works Minister E. C. Carson today were: Campbell Bennett Ltd., $190,120; G. W. Ledingham Co. Ltd., $231,016, and Dawson, Wade & Co. Ltd., $231,813.

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LONDON (Reuter)—Shortage of scrap may cripple Britain's drive to produce this year the 14,000,000 tons of steel on which her plans to increase exports, and so speed her economic recovery, depend.

Sir Stafford Cripps, Minister for Economic Affairs, made it clear recently that there was "nothing that would do more to relieve our present difficulties and strengthen the long-term position of Britain than a further increase in steel production."

This increase, and with it possibly Britain's industrial survival, now depends largely on the success of the 1948 scrap-recovery campaign.

To achieve the steel target for 1948, Britain needs 4,600,000 tons of scrap besides pig iron, iron ore and coke. She must obtain about 1,000,000 tons from overseas and find another 3,500,000 tons at home.

Already, however, the British iron and steel board has issued a warning that because of poor prospects of getting scrap from abroad, Britain may find herself about 1,000,000 tons short this year. Scrap Germany is to send Britain this year shows no sign, as yet, of materializing.

The Germans, the iron and steel board charges, are using "obstructive tactics" and hoarding their scrap for future bargaining in the interest of their own recovery.

The situation is the more serious as home stocks of scrap have reached the low level of 348,000 tons compared with 534,000 tons last year. Industry is more or less living on day-to-day supplies.

Ss. Prince George To Sail June 19

Maiden voyage of the C.N.R. luxury liner Prince George has been tentatively scheduled for a June 19 run to Alaska, it was reported here today. The $3,000,000 vessel will have a speed of 18 knots, carry a crew of 132 men and will accommodate 300 passengers.

Builders' trial for the coast passenger ship were conducted today. She spent several hours in the Strait.

Pink Slips Issued To Visiting Motorists

REGINA (CP)—Saskatchewan motorists visiting British Columbia will be issued "pink slips" to comply with B.C. financial responsibility laws, Provincial Secretary O. W. Valleau, said today.

Although the government had asked that Saskatchewan drivers' licenses be accepted instead of the slips, the government now had begun to issue them. He said no complaints had been received from B.C. officials about the adequacy of Saskatchewan compulsory automobile insurance under the B.C. legislation.

Salary Increases For Civil Servants

OTTAWA (CP)—The Treasury Board has authorized salary increases for a further group of 3,600 civil servants, it was announced Friday. As in the case of previous groups granted increases, the salary hikes will be retroactive to last Oct. 1.

The new raises involved approximately $800,000 a year and affect about 1,200 persons in Ottawa, the remainder in other parts of Canada.

In general the increases amount to about $300 a year or $25 a month. The list affected includes nearly every department of government and men and women with salaries ranging from $1,272 to $7,500 a year. Their posts vary from high administrative jobs such as controller of radio services and controller of meteorological services, through a wide range of scientists and technicians to miscellaneous minor positions.

Magistrate H. C. Hall fixed bail at $1,000 for Emile Calve, Marine Drive, when he appeared in Saanich police court Thursday charged with breaking and entering the residence of Paul Case, Cordova Bay Road, on April 20 with intent to commit an indictable offence. He was remanded to next Thursday.

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Charming Victorian Returns On Visit

Mrs. W. Everett, the former Miss Margaret Lamont, is in the city from Welland, Ont. She is accompanied by her husband, Mr. Wallace Everett. They will spend the next two months visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Lamont, 740 Newbury Avenue, and at the home of Dr. and Mrs. R. Fortye, brother-in-law and sister of Mr. Everett, at Cadboro Bay. Also visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lamont is another daughter, Mrs. E. Hewton, with her small daughter, Barbara Ann, from Hamilton, Ont. Mrs. Everett and Mrs. Hewton were well-known members of the Victoria Girls' Drill Team prior to their departure to live in eastern Canada.

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Sunday Christening At H.M.C.S. Naden

At a ship's bell used as a font in the Chapel of H.M.C.S. Naden, Padre F. H. Godfrey will officiate at the christening ceremony tomorrow afternoon at 2, when the baby daughter of Lt. and Mrs. A. G. Kilpatrick, 1001 Richardson Street, will receive the names Diane Lee. Godparents for the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kilpatrick, Lancaster Road, will be Mr. and Mrs. J. Haworth of Ladysmith and Miss Phyllis Mugford. At the home of the baby's maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Mugford, 53 Monterey Avenue, a tea for members of the family and a few close friends will be held following the ceremony.

91st Birthday Celebrated At Afternoon Party

Mrs. Janet Wells celebrated her 91st birthday Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Kelson, 3236 Doncaster Drive. She is the widow of the late Rev. Arthur Wells, former vicar of Langford and Colwood. Many messages of congratulation were received by Mrs. Wells, who was presented with a corsage bouquet of roses and lily of the valley. Spring flowers decorated the rooms, and Master George Kelson assisted the hostess in serving tea. Invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. Green, Mesdames H. S. Bruce, J. Dick, H. A. Hincks, M. Piebles, F. Porritt, L. Flinton, H. Halling, P. G. Richardson, K. Williams, G. T. Phipps, Miss C. A. Lees and Miss Eleanor Oddson of Winnipeg. Mrs. Wells' daughter, Mrs. H. E. Toms, resides at Port Alberni, and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren also live on the Island.

Visitors From Norway Honored At Reception

Mr. and Mrs. E. Kjekstad are entertaining at a late afternoon reception at their home on St. Charles Street today, in honor of Mr. Kjekstad's brother, engineer J. Kjekstad and his sister, Miss Thora Kjekstad, who are visitors from Norway.

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Mrs. William Halkett, who motored to eastern Canada with her father, Mr. P. B. Scurrah, two weeks ago, is returning by plane this week-end. Mr. Halkett flew to Vancouver this morning to meet his wife and they will return to the city on Sunday.

Miss Betty Prisk has returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Prisk, 1528 Camosun Street, from Montreal, where she took a post-graduate course in pediatrics and has worked on the staff at the Children's Memorial Hospital for the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heisterman will be hosts at an informal buffet supper tomorrow evening at their home on Falkland Road to honor Miss Mildred Irving of Buckfusch, N.B., who is visiting in Victoria for a month.

Robert Lindgren of Victoria sailed Wednesday from New York on the Queen Mary for London, where he will be guest premier danseur for the summer season with the Metropolitan Ballet. He will return to the Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo in September.

Mrs. J. R. Stone accompanied her daughter Sylvia and Miss Elenore Straith to Vancouver earlier this week, where the girls are entered in the B.C. Dance Festival. They are staying at the Grosvenor Hotel. Mrs. W. A. McDonald is also in the mainland city with Miss Sheila McDonald. Mrs. Maurice Green flew to Vancouver Friday morning, to be present when her daughter Shirley, appears in the festival. Other Victorians attending the dances are Mrs. McElmoyle, Mrs. Ivings and Mrs. Leo Evenden.

Miss Mary Comerford, who is to be married early in May, was honored Thursday evening when Mrs. K. Cameron and Miss Nora O'Connell were joint hostesses at a miscellaneous shower at the home of the latter, 627 Manchester Road. Corsage bouquets were presented to the bride-to-be and to her mother. Games and refreshments were enjoyed during the evening. Guests included Mesdames P. Comerford, J. Morry, Gandy, T. Curtis, W. Carnes, J. O'Connell, J. Comerford, C. Comerford, H. Fogden, T. O'Connell, W. Champion, J. Neilon and the Misses Ida Casilio, Mona Doyle, Clara Krubinski, Marie Longpre and Mary Lovick.

Mrs. Gordon Cameron has returned to her home on Runnymede Avenue after a visit with her niece, Mrs. Kenneth Beaton of Vancouver, during the past week.

Mrs. A. J. Reid, Oakmont Road, will leave the city tomorrow en route to Montreal, where she will sail May 1 aboard the Empress of Canada for an extended visit to England and Wales.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ball, 1025 Burdett Avenue, have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jones, recent arrivals on the Ascania from Leicester, England, who plan to make their home in Victoria.

Miss Kathleen Agnew has as her guest at her Rockland Avenue home Miss Nora E. James of Bechinghant, Kent, England, who is in Victoria for a few days during her stay in Canada. Tomorrow afternoon she will be honored when Miss Agnew entertains members of the Reading Club at the tea hour, and she will leave again Monday for Vancouver, where she is the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Smart.

Calgarians visiting in Victoria at present and guests at Oak Bay Beach Hotel are Mr. and Mrs. Reg. C. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hull. Mr. and Mrs. Ross Macdonald and Mrs. R. G. Persse, all of Winnipeg, are also staying at the hotel, also Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Malcolmson of Vancouver, accompanied by Dr. and Mrs. P. H. Malcolmson of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson and their daughter, Mrs. Margaret Rankin of "The Bushes," Paisley, Scotland, who spent a brief holiday in the city recently, guests at the Empress Hotel, left Friday afternoon for Vancouver, en route to eastern Canada. They were accompanied by Mr. Henderson's sister-in-law, Mrs. Laurie Henderson of Ottawa. Mr. and Mrs. Henderson and Mrs. Rankin will return to Scotland late in May.

Miss Norah Johnson was guest of honor when Mrs. Everett Lacey entertained with a miscellaneous shower at her home on Cadboro Bay Road, Thursday evening. On her arrival, the honor guest was presented with a Colonial bouquet by Miss Merilyn Lacey. Assisting the hostess was Mrs. C. L. Smith. Serviteurs were Mrs. H. Thornber and Mrs. J. Smith. Other guests were Mesdames J. Johnson, E. Pomeroy, W. Wray, F. Taylor, J. Skelton, R. Morrison, G. Hawkins, T. Chattell, R. Veness, F. LeRoy, E. Lacey Sr., W. Griffen, W. McClair, J. H. Booth and Miss Wendy Lacey.

Mrs. J. Reed, who leaves May 1 with her husband on an extended motor trip to Ontario, was honored Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Lewis Williams, who entertained at her home, 3001 Quadra Street, with a surprise handkerchief shower. The handkerchiefs were presented in a decorated box surmounted by a hat draped with fern and spring flowers, designed by Miss I. Renwick and Miss C. Lothian. Luncheon was served by the hostess, and guests included Mesdames W. S. Dawson, R. P. Howell, G. D. LeLacheur, H. Dickson, E. Bossence, N. B. Anderson, H. L. Williams, H. Smith, E. Smith of Vancouver, E. McCuaid, C. M. Mair, T. Pringle and her daughter Eula Rae Pringle, J. H. Clements, J. Lawrie, F. Stewart, E. Hines and E. Oakley.

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MISS JOYCE WATERS

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Waters, 2483 Cranmore Road, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Joyce, to Edward B. (Ted) Davis, only son of Mrs. Catherine Davis, 1677 Hollywood Crescent, and the late W. A. Davis. The wedding will take place in the late summer.

Grandson Of Pioneer Family Married At Naval Ceremony

Naval uniforms were worn by the bride and groom and their attendants at a wedding ceremony in the chapel of H.M.C.S. Naden this afternoon when Eula Winnifred Ledingham became the bride of John Edward Wolfenden.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wolfenden of Vancouver and a grandson of the late Col. Richard Wolfenden, printer to the Queen's and King's Most Excellent Majesties in Victoria for many years. During the war he served as a lieutenant-commander in the navy, and is now a reserve officer living in Vancouver.

His bride, who is the daughter of Mrs. George W. Ledingham of Vancouver and Bakersfield, California, has just retired as director of nursing services for the Canadian navy. She was decorated by the King with the Order of Royal Red Cross for outstanding services.

Attendants were Lieut. (N.S.) Anna Chalmers of St. Lambert, Quebec, who is stationed at Halifax, and Lieut.-Cmdr. Harry MacDonald of H.M.C.S. Naden.

Ushers were Cmdr Stacey and Cmdr. O. S. C. Robertson, captain of H.M.C.S. Cayuga. A naval guard of honor awaited the bride and groom outside the chapel.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the wardroom at H.M.C.S. Naden.

For traveling the bride wore a three-piece suit in aquamarine with navy blue accessories, and her model hat was crowned with flowers.

Following their wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Wolfenden will make their home in Vancouver.

Altrusa Club Dinner Sunday

In the Princess Louise Room at the Empress Hotel, on Sunday evening, the formal organization dinner of the new Victoria Altrusa Club will be held.

Officers of the new club are Mrs. Ethel Donaldson, president; Miss Lyn Litkethley, vice-president; Miss Margaret Gardner, secretary; Mrs. B. O. Taylor, treasurer; Miss Marjorie Hazlewood, Miss Eva Wilson and Mrs. Peggy Bartholemew, directors.

Mrs. Stafford D. Plant, vice-president, Vancouver Altrusa Club, who made initial arrangements during a two-week visit in Victoria in March, will act as presiding officer and will speak briefly to the gathering. Representatives of the Vancouver Club will accompany Mrs. Plant.

The Altrusa Club, comparable to the men's Rotary Club, has a membership of over 8,000 business and professional women in 325 clubs situated in United States, Canada, Guatemala, Mexico, Porta Rica, Argentina and the British Isles.

Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt is a prominent Altrusian and, during her recent visit in Britain, addressed the London Altrusa Club.

Y.P. Societies

Public Speaking — Vancouver Island Presbytery Young People's Union will hold its annual public speaking contest at Metropolitan schoolroom Tuesday at 8. Marjorie Forrest, culture convener, is in charge of the contest, in which speakers from Chinese United, First United, Metropolitan, Oak Bay and Centennial United will take part.

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Nurses' Graduation Draws Parents, Friends To Victoria

Sunday evening, the "class of '48," St. Joseph's Hospital School of Nursing, will graduate in an impressive evening ceremony in the Royal Theatre.

Already, relatives and friends of the nurse-graduates, from many places in British Columbia, other provinces and the United States, are arriving in Victoria for graduation exercises.

Making the longest journey to witness the ceremony is Dr. Thomas Dawson, here from Edinburgh, Scotland, to see Miss Mary Turner receive her nurse's pin.

Mrs. C. Celis, Seattle; Mrs. C. A. Robertson and Miss Joanne Robertson of Everett, Wash., L. Barker, Winnipeg, and Mrs. E. McDonald, Vancouver, will be guests of Miss Lorraine Field. From Winnipeg has come Mrs. W. C. Bower and from Vancouver, Miss L. Foster and Miss Audrey Baines, as guests of Miss Laura Foster.

FROM VANCOUVER

Miss Margaret Fudger has invited Mr. and Mrs. J. Fudger, Miss P. Sheffield, Mrs. N. Newall, Miss Helma Cawley and Miss Audrey Ward, all of Vancouver. Dr. and Mrs. Roy Haggard, Miss E. Bessuille and Commissioner and Mrs. Shirass will be another party of Vancouverites attending as guests of Miss Marguerite Ladoux.

Vancouver Island points will be represented by Mr. and Mrs. G. Dunbar, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Richardson and Mrs. B. Buegess, all of Alberni, who will be here as guests of Miss Myrtle Dunbar and Mr. and Mrs. L. Beckerley of Qualicum Beach, invited to attend the ceermonies by Miss Kathryn Rounding. Mr. and Mrs. J. Sherrack of Vancouver will also be Miss Rounding's guests.

From Cumberland will come Mrs. A. Somerville, Mrs. Alex Maxwell and Mrs. Alfred Maxwell, who have been invited by Miss Alfreda Somerville.

INTERIOR VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dunn of Smithers, B.C., have received invitation from Miss Margaret Dunn; Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Kane of Moose Jaw have come to see Miss Nora Kane receive her diploma; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Keyt of New Westminster will be here at the invitation of Miss Audrey Keyt; Mrs. J. F. Kinahan, Calgary, will be the guest of Miss Alice Kinahan and Mrs. J. Keough, Revelstoke, the guest of Miss Mary Keough.

Vancouverites, Mrs. C. Twenion, Mrs. L. Freshwater, Mrs. M. Chaleel, Mrs. M. Simms and Mr. J. Stewart have been invited by Miss Ellen Sommerville. Miss Eunice Sutton's invitation went to Mrs. E. Sutton, Prince George.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Graham of Louise Creek, B.C., and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fitzegrald of Elgin, Ore., have received invitations from Miss Jane Graham.

Miss Martha Hoffart is expecting Mr. and Mrs. A. Hoffart of Tramping Lake, Sask., and Miss A. Gutenberg, Vancouver, while Miss Mary Neal will have Mrs. A. Neal and Mrs. A. Howard, both of Vancouver.

HERE FROM PRAIRIES

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Phillips of Saskatoon and Mr. and Mrs. R. Stephen of Vancouver, are invited by Miss Mary Phillips.

Also from Saskatoon will come Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rivett to join William Rivett, Vancouver, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rivett, Seattle, as the guests of Miss Marguerite Rivett.

Miss Mary Walker is expecting Mr. and Mrs. O. Walker and Mr. Otto Walker of Castlegar, B.C., and Miss Patricia Taylor will have Mrs. E. Hillier and Mrs. H. Moore-Rossen of Vancouver as guests. Miss Helen Wahl has invited Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wahl, Tramping Lake, Sask., and Miss G. Wahl, Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Sommers and Mr. and Mrs. C. Wanless have come from Castlegar, B.C., and Mrs. Holden from Calgary for the graudation of Miss Jean Sommers; Mr. and Mrs. M. Lazzarotto with Ralph and Hector Lazzaroto of Monte Creek, B.C., Miss C. Lazzaroto and Mr. H White of Revelstoke will be in Miss Ines Lazzaroto's party.

Miss Violet Wrubleski's invitations went to Mr. Michel Wrubleski, Langley Prairie, B.C., Mrs. S. Wrubleski, New Westminster, and Miss. N. Jameski, Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Laturnus of Wilkie, Sask., and Miss Kal Laturnus, R.N., have arrived to see Miss Monica Laturnus, R.N., receive her diploma in medical technology.

Graduating in medical technology with Miss Laturnus will be Miss Jean Dorman, B.Sc., of Ketchikan, Alaska, formerly of Victoria and Miss Sophia Langas of this city.

Following the ceremonies a reception will be held in the Nurses' Home at St. Joseph's Hospital for parents of the graduating class.

On Monday night, members of St. Joseph's Hospital Alumnae will be hostesses at a dance at the Royal Victoria Yacht Club in honor of the nurse-graduates.

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Retires From Navy, Make Home In Victoria

Capt. F. G. Hart, pictured above with his wife and young son, Kenneth Donald, returned from Halifax recently and is now living at Beach Drive. Capt. Hart held many top appointments during the war, including commanding officer of H.M.C.S. Naden at Esquimalt and commanding officer of H.M.C.S. Robert at sea. In the last two years he has been commanding officer at H.M.C.S. Stadacona at Halifax. Mrs. Hart is the daughter of Mrs. K. C. MacDonald and the late Hon. K. C. MacDonald, former Minister of Agriculture with the provincial government.

Annual Spring Tea

Plans for the annual Spring Tea to be held on the afternoon of May 8 in Memorial Hall, were made at a recent meeting of the Business Women's branch of Christ Church Cathedral W.A.

There will be a stall of plain and fancy needlework in charge of Mrs. A. Mayfield and Miss M. Nicholson; home cooking will be sold by Mrs. R. Edwards and Mrs. Averill, and candy by Miss P. Fatt and Mrs. J. Durran. Tea arrangements are under the convenership of Mrs. W. Leal.

Trip To Banff For Newlyweds

—Photo by Alfred Toone.

James Gordon Lintaman and his bride, the former Gloria June Stokes.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gordon Lintaman, who are at present spending their honeymoon at Banff, posed for the above picture following their wedding in the vestry of First United Church Wednesday evening.

The bride is the former Gloria June Stokes, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Stokes, 3631 Elliston Avenue, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Lintaman of Dartmouth, N.S.

When they return from Banff, the newlyweds will make their home on Rock Bay Avenue.

Rev. Hugh A. McLeod officiated at the quiet ceremony, for which the bride wore an aqua green gabardine suit with pink accessories, pink hat trimmed with ostrich tip, and a corsage bouquet of pink rosebuds and a white orchid. Her only jewelry was a single strand of pearls. Mr. Stokes gave his daughter in marriage.

Mrs. Robert Henry, wearing a grey pin stripe suit, cherry red hat and accessories and corsage bouquet of rosebuds, attended her sister, while Mr. Henry served as best man for the groom.

The home of Mrs. Sidney Rabey, 320 Richmond Road, was the scene of a reception following the wedding. The bridal party, assisted by Mrs. Stokes and Miss Marie George, received their guests standing beneath an archway decorated with fresh flowers. A three-tier cake, banked with spring flowers and flanked by tall pink candles, centred the lace-covered table. A toast to the bride was proposed by J. Gann.

For her traveling costume, the bride donned a gabardine topcoat over her wedding ensemble, and wore black suede accessories.

Miss J. E. M. Bruce Is Guest Speaker

A vivid description of her trip to the Old Country by freighter was given by Miss J. E. M. Bruce, who was guest speaker at the April thank offering meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of First United Church.

Mrs. A. Chisholm presided at the meeting, which was held in the church hall, decorated for the occasion with bouquets of yellow and white spring flowers by Mrs. A. J. Heepman, Mrs. J. H. McKibbon and Mrs. R. W. Mayhew.

Mrs. H. J. Cromie took as her devotional theme "The Resurrection." Mrs. J. Travis gave the dedicatory prayer for the thank offering which was brought forward by Mrs. J. G. McFarlane and Mrs. B. Latham.

During the business meeting a motion was passed that a letter be sent to the attorney-general commending him on his strong stand in regard to maintaining the laws pertaining to Sabbath observance.

Mrs. George A. Waddell was soloist, and tea was served by Mrs. James Walker.

P.-T.A. News

MacKenzie Avenue—A sum of $150.70 was realized at the spring tea held in MacKenzie Avenue School. Mrs. George Girton convened the tea and Mrs. K. Hemsworth was in charge of sewing and home-cooking stalls. Mrs. F. M. Curtis and Mrs. L. Loiselle presided at the head tea table, which was decorated in yellow and centred with a vase of daffodils.

Monterey P.-T.A. Tea Raises Sum Of $145

A sum of $145 was realized at a spring tea and open house sponsored by Monterey P.-T.A., in the school auditorium Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. H. Clark, president, who opened the affair, was presented with a corsage bouquet by Heather Pope, a Grade I student.

Parents visited classrooms, and afterwards were entertained by the children. Included on the program were piano duets by Michael Partridge and Glen Pope, and by Gloria and Glen Pope.

General conveners of the tea were Mrs. A. R. C. Wildig and Mrs. E. Pope. In charge of stalls were Mrs. J. W. Ross, home cooking; Mrs. L. J. McLennan, candy; Mrs. E. Penty, white elephant; Mrs. E. Jones, hot dogs; Mrs. H. Curtis, tea.

Movies were shown the day before by Mrs. W. Brynjolfson.

Auxiliary Holds Successful Tea

A successful spring tea, sponsored by St. Andrew's Womens' Missionary Auxiliary, was held at the home of Mrs. W. B. Plaunt, 305 Denison Road. Proceeds will be used for the auxiliary expense fund.

Mrs. J. L. W. McLean and Mrs. H. Warren, president of the auxiliary, assisted Mrs. Plaunt in receiving guests. General conveners were Mrs. J. Wilson and Mrs. P. Hood.

Presiding at the attractively decorated tea table were Mrs. J. L. Clay, Mrs. L. W. Johnson, Mrs. J. McAra and Mrs. J. Ian Simpson. Those who assisted in serving were Mesdames P. C. Coe, J. Davidson, D. Elford, F. W. Fulton, W. Hogg, G. H. Horwood, K. Leeming, J. D. Scott, B. J. Wallis, E. M. Whyte, Zimmer, Misses Gladys Irving and Helen Wilson.

Engagements

Announcements to appear under this heading will be accepted at the Times Advertising Department. Minimum charge $1.50 for 10 lines and 15c for each additional line.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Marshall, 1431 Hamilton Road, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Muriel May, to Leonard Thomas Walsh, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Walsh of Buchans, Newfoundland. The wedding will take place May 8, 1948, at St. Alban's Church, 8 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Boyd, 3162 Balfour Avenue, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Ruth Elizabeth, to Mr. Samuel Arthur Holman, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Urban W. Holman, 3214 Shelbourne Street. The wedding will take place at St. John's Church on May 21, 1948, at 8 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Currie, Harrop Road, announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Winota (Dolly) to Mr. Daryl W. Slugget, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Slugget, Brentwood. The wedding will take place July 16, 1948, at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

Club Calendar

St. John's W.A., afternoon branch, Tuesday, at 2.30, guest speaker to be Mrs. K. L. Roach, Diocesan Dorcas secretary. . . . Senior afternoon branch, Christ Church Cathedral W.A., open meeting Monday at 2.30, Memorial Hall; guest speaker, Mrs. R. O. Taylor, to speak on "Something for Nothing." . . . Langford Women's Institute, monthly meeting, Tuesday at 2.30, in the hall, Dunford Road. . . . Colfax Rebekah Lodge, pivot bridge party, Tuesday.

W.A. to St. Paul's Anglican Church, Esquimalt, Tuesday at 2.30. Tea to be served by the Junior W.A. . . . Evening Branch, St. Saviour's Church, Monday at 8 at home of Mrs. R. Foulks, 994 Worsdley Street.

St. Mark's W.A., social hour following evening service Sunday, Parish Hall. Educational meeting Tuesday at 2.30, Parish Hall, corner of Boleskin and Tennyson Roads. Refreshments to be served.

Canadian Daughters' League, Assembly No. 5, Tuesday at 8, in Business and Professional Women's Club rooms. Shower of food and parcels will be packed for overseas . . . Catholic Women's League, tea and musicale, Monday, Douglas Room, Hudson's Bay, 3 until 5. Proceeds for school scholarship Mrs. W. Rogers, convener.

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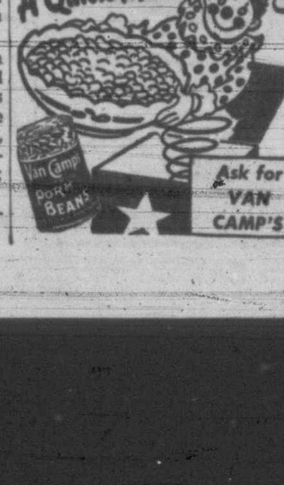

St. John Ambulance

St. John Ambulance Brigade No. 65, Thursday, at 8.

Victoria Nursing Division No. 61, Monday, at 8. Members of the competition team will practice and there will be a quiz in both home nursing and first aid.

Lorne Drum Nursing Division No. 249, Monday, at 8.

The Denton Holmes Cadet Nursing Division No. 148c, Tuesday, at 6.30.

Oak Bay Nursing Division No. 176, Tuesday at 8.

The Victoria Cadet Nursing Division No. 61c, Monday, at 6.30.

The Oak Bay Cadet Nursing Division No. 176, Friday, at 3.45, at 2165 Oak Bay Avenue.

The child welfare class, Friday, at 8. Mrs. Macbeth of the A. J. Dallain Nursing Division No. 210 will continue lectures.

Denton Holmes Nursing Division No. 148, Tuesday, at 8.

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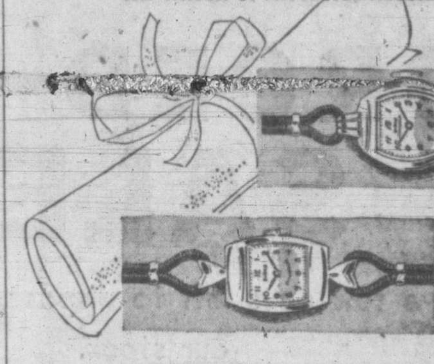

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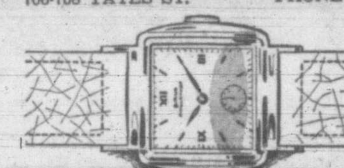

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Says Change Needed In Calendar System

Need for calendar reform was seen by Dr. R. M. Petrie, assistant director of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, Little Saanich Mountain, in an address Friday to the Lions Club.

The present calendar, Dr. Petrie said, is 26 seconds out every year. This means, he continued, that if something is not done to correct it, the calendar in the year 4800 will be a full day out.

Dr. Petrie said a "world calendar" of 12 months, with 19-day quarters might be an improvement over the calendar now used.

The world calendar would, he said, give a total of 364 days to the year. However, an "extra" day would be added each year so that the year would have 365 days as it does now. This extra day, he said, would be observed throughout the world as a "calendar holiday."

During Leap years, two "extra" days would be added, and would be observed as holidays, he said.

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Want Order Quashed

TORONTO (CP)—Legal action aimed at quashing a deportation order for Reid Robinson will be launched at once, C. L. Dubin, associate counsel for Robinson, announced Friday night.

Robinson's appeal against the deportation order was dismissed Friday in Ottawa. He is eastern vice-president and Canadian organizer of the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers (C.I.O.).

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Student Players Give Excellent Interpretation Of 'Lost Horizon'

By FLORENCE LARINDE

Members of the Victoria High School Drama Club were greeted by enthusiastic applause at the conclusion of their presentation of James Hilton's memorable "Lost Horizon" Friday evening in the school auditorium.

Hilton's novel centres around four young people, who, after making a forced crash landing, stumble into a lamasary situated high in the Himalayan Mountains. In their struggle to return to civilization all but Conway, who after being persuaded to leave, never rests until he again finds his way back to the lamasary, fail to realize the perfection of the religion and life of these seemingly ageless people.

Under the excellent direction of T. W. Mayne, the players were viewed first in a sitting-room. Julia Lindsay as Myra, Sylvia Lash as Elizabeth, and Pat Campbell-Rodger as Wyland, the rather skeptical young man, sat discussing the disappearance of Conway, around whom the play is based.

During this conversation Rutherford, played by Robert Badley whose rich voice held his audience at all times, enters the room to tell the story of "Lost Horizon."

Special effects featuring the motor of a roaring plane and lightning, were particularly well done.

In Act 1, the first scene is set in the lamasary of Shangri-la where a servant, played by Robt. Sam, and Chang, played by Bruce Madeley, welcome the four survivors of the plane crash, played by Ken Christensen as Conway, Jim Henning as Mallinson, Jim McWilliams as Barnard, and Pat Meagher as Miss Brinklow, the worthy missionary.

Perfect timing, clever costuming and fine diction made the performance of these five young actors outstanding.

A more confident and relaxed performance was given by Jan Olsen as Helen, Nancy Chung as Lo-Tsen, Patty Joe as Ai-Ling, John Moffatt as the High Lama and Beverly as little Tashi, during the second and third acts.

Diane Clifford, Carol Pomeroy and T. W. Mayne are to be particularly mentioned for their fine make-up work, also Miss Norman Douglas for her clever costume creations.

Responsible for scenery were N. Smister, Mrs. D. Anstey and H. Dee; properties by Miss J. Irvine and John Gault and lighting by Mr. Stark, Fred Anderson, Bruce Naylor, Keith Duncan, Garth Jones and Alf Roxgard.

Miss E. Cameron, L. Hardie and T. W. Mayne were in charge of casting.

Student assistants were Audrey Crossman and Norma Plumb.

A second performance of the play will be presented tonight at 8.15.

GETTING ALONG SWIMMINGLY—A few minutes after its birth at Chicago's Brookfield Zoo, this baby hippo was swimming along like a veteran, paced by its proud mama, Bebe.

Oolichans Running In Fraser River

FORT LANGLEY (CP)—Oolichans, hundreds of thousands of them, today are loose in the Fraser River.

Oolichans are little silver fish. Known in some parts of the country as "candle fish"—they were once used by Indians as candles.

Weighing only three ounces, they have become big business and are gathered in nets to be sold as fresh fish, frozen fish, mink feed and for oil extracts.

Lately demand has arisen for the fish as dainty morsels for the dinner table.

For the next three weeks boats on the Fraser River will cast nets in the early morning and catch as much as three tons of the little fish.

Lovick's News Agency Adds Fords To Fleet

Above is a portion of the fleet of trucks used by Lovick's News Agency, the choice falling on the 1948 Ford for reliable economical service. These trucks cover the Island on regular schedule, from Campbell River and Port Alberni south to Victoria, making their runs under all road and weather conditions. The big truck on the left is called on to carry as high as four to five tons of magazines each week to up-island points, with the smaller units loaded to capacity in proportion to their size. S. V. Wright, Victoria manager for Lovick's, stated that when the firm first opened in Victoria the transportation fleet consisted of a Ford of current vintage and a bicycle. It is interesting to note that, 20-odd years later, the choice still falls on Ford as being able to stand up to the gruelling service the firm's work demands. Drivers beside their vehicles in the picture above are as follows: D. Smith, K. Appleby, E. McKim and R. Jackson.

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ROYAL THEATRE

Janet Leigh, the screen's newest Cinderella girl, has passed another milestone in her lightning career. She received her 1,000th fan letter before her first film was released by M-G-M!

The young actress who made her film debut opposite Van Johnson in "The Romance of Rosy Ridge," and who now plays a top role in "If Winter Comes," on the Royal screen, received the letter from a soldier stationed with the occupation troops in Germany.

YORK INTERNATIONAL

"There are no bad villains," says Robert Montgomery, speaking purely from the viewpoint of the actor.

"Characterization is always more interesting than playing a straight role," says the star, who returns to the York International screen with Ingrid Bergman in "Rage in Heaven," one of M-G-M's current reprints.

ATLAS THEATRE

A little mongrel pooch named "Corky" spent three days working with Bob Hope in Paramount's "Where There's Life," the new Hope howler now at the Atlas Theatre, with Signe Hasso and William Bendix co-starred with the comedian.

Where To Go Tonight

(As Advertised)

ATLAS — Bob Hope in "Where There's Life."

CAPITOL—John Wayne and Laraine Day in "Tycoon."

DOMINION — "Quiet Weekend," starring Derek Farr and Marjorie Fielding.

OAK BAY — "Blue Skies," starring Bing Crosby.

ODEON—"Black Bart," starring Yvonne De Carlo.

PLAZA—Leo Gorcey and the Bowery Boys in "Mr. Hex."

RIO—"The Mysterious Mr. Valentine," starring William Henry.

ROYAL—"If Winter Comes," starring Walter Pidgeon and Deborah Kerr.

YORK-INTERNATIONAL — "Rage in Heaven," starring Ingrid Bergman and Robert Montgomery.

OAK BAY THEATRE

Paramount's Technicolor production of Irving Berlin's "Blue Skies," starring Bing Crosby, Fred Astaire and Joan Caulfield, is now at the Oak Bay Theatre. The melodic masterpiece features Billy De Wolfe and Olga San Juan, the bombshell from Puerto Rico, via Brooklyn.

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Joan Fontaine Plans New Movie With James Stewart

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Joan Fontaine says she is determined to do another picture before the arrival of her baby.

Joan, who was ill during the filming of "Kiss the Blood Off My Hands," tells me the worst is over now and she is feeling fine. When she finishes the film, she'll start immediately on "You Gotta Stay Happy," a comedy with Jimmy Stewart, for her own Rampart Productions.

The actress expects no difficulty with her clothes. "My designer tells me the current fashion favors pregnant women, what with ruffles and pleats and such things," she says.

DEANNA GETTING ON

Winnipeg's Deanna Durbin says she'll be portraying a 75-year-old in her next film, now called "The Western Story." The picture has a novel twist—it will show three versions of the same story, as recounted by three pioneers. Thus Deanna will play three different views of the same character.

NO SPLIT FOR BING

Bing Crosby is being wooed to co-star with Judy Garland in "Annie Get Your Gun," and producer Arthur Fields thinks he'll nab the crooner for the film. Bing wants to do the role and all that remains is working out a deal. Since M-G-M allows no one to participate in its films' profits, Bing will probably get a monumental salary, similar to the one Irving Berlin got for "Easter Parade" . . . Irv got a mere $800,000. . . .

Joseph Cotten and others of the "Portrait of Jenny" cast are annoyed at the hold-up of the film's release. It is awaiting the personal editing of David Zelznick. Joe is especially peeved because he has been seen in only two films in the last two and a half years. . . .

George Montgomery will get an adventure-star build-up by Edward Small in "War Path" and "Leather Stocking Tales" . . . M-G-M may hold Perry Como for more pictures after "Words and Music." The crooner, whose film career was mishandled by 20th-Fox, could well be another Croz.

PLAZA THEATRE

Screen star Leo Gorcey claims he has a fully legitimate explanation for the dark circles under his eyes. "There's a baby next door and she always chooses the middle of the night to do her vocal exercises," explained Leo. "Somehow, I'm allergic to vocal exercises in the night—so I don't get any sleep.

Gorcey is now appearing with the other Bowery Boys in Monogram's "Mr. Hex," currently at the Plaza Theatre.

ODEON THEATRE

Yvonne De Carlo portrays Lola Montez, internationally famed dancing beauty of the 19th century, in "Black Bart," the Universal-International Technicolor production now playing at the Odeon Theatre. The story of the film deals with an authentic episode in the triumphal tour of the dancing star during her sojourn in California under the management of P. T. Barnum.

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LATEST CAPITOL NEWS

Commons Approves Extension Of Prairie Farm Assistance Act

OTTAWA (CP) — The Commons talked prairie farm assistance Friday.

The House spent all day on it, discussing a bill which makes changes in the Prairie Farm Assistance Act. This is the act which gives drought-area farmers cash compensation when they suffer a crop failure. The changes being made will extend it to new areas.

But this wasn't enough for C.C.F. members, most of whom come from the west. They wanted it extended even further, to take in all specialized crop areas in Canada. For instance, they thought the fruit-growing districts of British Columbia should be included.

One of them, Hazen Argue, C.C.F., Wood Mountain, Sask., moved an amendment calling for this further extension. The amendment also asked for larger payments and payments to individual farms. At present, payments are made by townships. The amendment was ruled out of order because it involved expenditure of public money, which only a cabinet minister may seek.

In the end, the bill was adopted as introduced. It now goes to the Senate for its approval.

Before the bill passed, Agriculture Minister Gardiner indicated steps will be taken to make some extension in the west. This would be to municipalities not covered by the present act.

He said something probably could be decided on if the provinces and the municipalities could arrange to make contributions to a fund to provide for crop-failure payments.

At the same time, Mr. Gardiner turned down suggestions that the Dominion initiate a national crop insurance plan. He rejected these proposals on two grounds: 1. The plan would be too costly; 2. the Dominion hasn't the necessary jurisdiction.

ANSWER TO CLAXTON

Defence Minister Claxton was bluntly told "things would be a lot better in this country" if he would spend more time looking after defence matters.

The statement was made by John Diefenbaker, P.C., Lake Centre, Sask., who "resented" statements made by the minister in a radio speech Thursday night. In the speech, Mr. Claxton said the "frivolous or querulous obstruction" of the Opposition took up 50 per cent of Parliament's time.

Mr. Diefenbaker described the minister's remarks as "silly Claxtonites."

It was the duty of the opposition to criticize and to suggest changes in things which it believed were wrong.

"It must criticize where it believes things are wrong and need offer no apologies for so doing," said Mr. Diefenbaker. He added:

"If he would spend more time looking after the defence of this country than in criticizing those who are endeavoring to be of assistance by way of making suggestions, things would be a lot better in this country."

The Commons also gave preliminary approval to legislation to establish a contributory pension scheme for the R.C.M.P.

It also would grant compensation to members of the force who suffer injury while on duty and pensions to widows and children of members killed in the performance of duty.

YOUNGEST PRESIDENT—John E. Brown Jr. is the youngest university president in the U.S., after his elevation to the presidency of John Brown University, Siloam Springs, Ark. Brown is only 26.

Veteran Of Trail Of '98, Legendary Northerner Passes

VANCOUVER (CP)—A legendary figure of the north, Poole Field, 68-year-old policeman-prospector, is dead.

He died in hospital here Thursday, ending a career of more than half a century as policeman, prospector and explorer.

His home was at Aklavik, far north post in the Northwest Territories, and with the exception of a rare trip to the outside, he had lived in the northland since 1897.

Mr. Poole went in as a member of the old North West Mounted Police, and became known throughout the vast hinterland to fur traders, trappers, and later the prospectors who sought fortune in the unchartered wastes.

His work for the police and personal explorations carried him into the valley of Nahanni — known to the Indians as "Headless Valley"—where many white men died in a search for gold.

Mr. Poole was one of the first white men to enter the valley, some 200 miles northeast of Whitehorse, Y.T., where on a police assignment he investigated the mysterious death of two brothers. The police party found the headless bodies, but the deaths remain a mystery.

He also investigated the death of a prospector in the valley, but it was no mystery. The man had been killed in a row with the Indians.

As a policeman, he followed the trail of '98 into the Klondike during the roaring gold rush days. In later years he became a prospector. During the second World War, he was in charge of a depot for the U.S. army air force at Fort Providence, N.W.T.

Mr. Field is survived by his wife, a son and a daughter.

Policeman Facing Assault Charge

TORONTO (CP) — Constable John Trimble of the Toronto police force faces a charge of assaulting W. J. Abraham and fracturing his jaw.

Mayor McCallum also announced that a full-scale investigation will be launched into another assault case involving Norman Jack Wilkins, who now is serving an 18-month sentence in the Ontario Reformatory for robbery.

The mayor said information had been presented Friday to the police commission that Wilkins had been subjected to "extreme treatment" in a Toronto police station when he was arrested last December.

"Today was the first time this has been brought to our attention," said Mayor McCallum. "In view of the fact that it was a detective of long standing on the force who brought our attention to this matter, we are going to have a complete investigation."

In the charge against Constable Trimble, Abraham said his jaw was fractured during an altercation last Saturday. Constable Trimble, who has 20 years of service, was accused of "assault causing bodily harm."

"I have been informed not to say anything about the matter until receiving further instructions from my lawyer," Abraham said. He is 26 years old.

Constable Trimble will appear in court next Wednesday.

Vancouver, Yale Draw Political Leaders

VANCOUVER (CP)—National political leaders and members of the Dominion cabinet will take part in the federal by-election campaigns in Vancouver Centre and Yale.

It was learned Friday that speaking tours have been arranged for John Bracken, Progressive Conservative leader, and M. J. Coldwell, chief of the C.C.F. forces.

Mr. Bracken will speak in Vancouver May 31 and June 1, and Mr. Coldwell here May 29.

The Liberals have not announced campaign plans except to say:

"We expect several of the federal ministers will be out both for Yale and Vancouver Centre."

The Yale election will be held May 31, and Vancouver Centre June 8.

Mayor and Mrs. Percy George will attend the opening on the evening of May 7 of the new Belmont High School. Hon. W. T. Straith, Minister of Education, will officiate at the ceremony.

Reject Rezoning Barnard Property

The Town Planning Commission is sympathetic towards rezoning the old Barnard estate to allow operation of a convalescent home for the aged, but not to allow construction of small houses for senior citizens.

Commissioners on Thursday night approved a city zoning committee's report which recommended the rezoning of the property not be allowed.

The area on Sea Terrace near West Bay and the Esquimalt boundary is zoned for single-family dwellings. It was felt that the type of project planned would be detrimental to adjacent areas.

The decision is not final. City Council has the final say in the matter.

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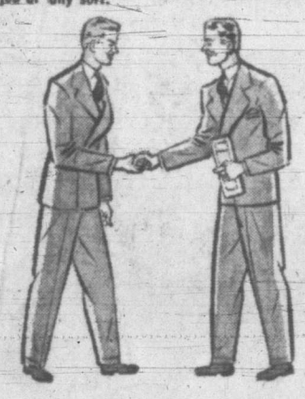

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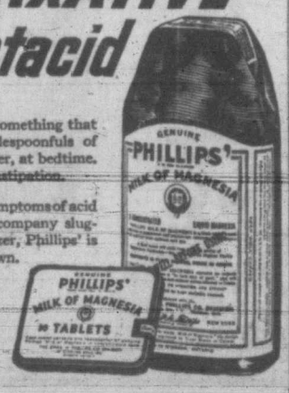

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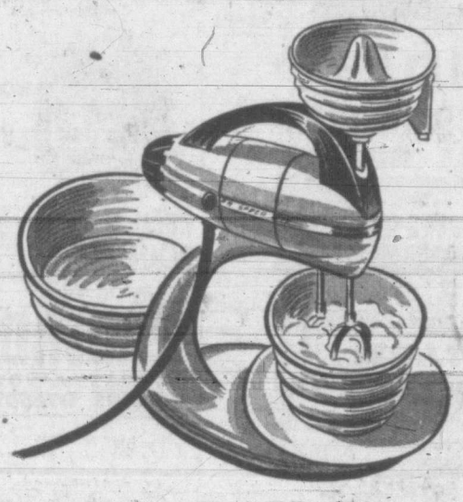

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Wrestling Has Come To This

Leo the Lion Newman didn't like the way Doris Dean treated his feminine partner, Bobby Larue, in a mixed wrestling match in Miami, Fla., so the big brute took a swing at the sweet thing. Either member of a mixed team can be on the mat at one time, but when the referee isn't looking, the partner outside the ring improves the act by getting into it.

Southpaw Ray Fortier Tames Athletics

Kasparovitch Fails To Last For Second Time; A's Show Lack Of Power

By PETE SALLAWAY

TACOMA—Lack of power in the Victoria Athletics was again demonstrated here last night when manager Ted Norbert's crew were handcuffed by a left-hander for the second time since the Western International Baseball League season opened and dropped the opener of a four-game series to Tacoma Tigers, 6 to 2.

To make the defeat even more bitter it was Ray Fortier, a member of the A's pitching staff last season, who stopped them. Fortier, despite the fact he was facing a starting line-up of eight right-hand stickers, gave up only six hits and struck out five.

After going behind 5 to 1 in the early innings Athletics had a chance to get back into the game in the seventh when they loaded the bases with only one away. They got a run, but only because Fortier was charged with a balk.

Despite his lapse Fortier showed lots of courage, striking out Charlie Balassi and then taking pinch hitter Sal Recca on strikes for the third out.

That was the ball game as far as Victoria was concerned.

KASPAROVITCH LOSES

Making his second start of the season, righthander Lenny Kasparovitch once again failed to finish, being lifted for a pinch hitter in the seventh after being nicked for eight hits and five runs, four of them earned, in his six-inning job.

Kasparovitch hasn't shown his last season form and looks to be packing too much weight. It would not be surprising if Norbert has him running plenty the next few days.

In the seventh Norbert relieved with southpaw Jim Propst but he left after giving up four walks for the Tigers sixth run and Al Goot, big righthander, got his first chance.

He forced Glen Stetter to hit into a double play by way of the plate to retire the side and escaped any trouble in the eighth.

Athletics took a 1 to 0 lead in the first inning on a two base error by Gardener Stetter and a single by Archie Wilson. Singles by Larry Lee and Fortier along with shortstop Jack Palmer's error and a base on balls gave Tacoma two runs in the third.

A pair of slashing doubles by Vern Lewis and Lee together with singles by Gene Clough and Joe Rossie added three more for the home club in the fifth. Propst's wild streak added the sixth run in the seventh.

JENSEN AT FIRST

In an effort to get more punch in his batting order Norbert started Babe Jensen at first base but relieved him after a couple of innings with Paul Jones, regular first sacker. Jensen couldn't acquaint himself with the position.

Larry Ward, speedball righthander, will work on the mound for the A's tonight with the veteran Mitch Chetkovich getting his first start for Tacoma.

CAPS DROP TO SECOND

In other games last night Spokane Indians whipped Vancouver Capilanos, 8 to 1, Wenatchee Chiefs shaded Bremerton, 3 to 2, and Salem had a field day against Yakima, winning 14 to 1.

Results put Salem back in first place in the loop standings with three wins and one loss.

Short scores follow:

	R.	H.	E.
Yakima	1	4	2
Salem	14	15	1

Batteries—Strait, Pirack (5), Fast (6) and Constantino; Pitter and McMillan.

Vancouver	1	5	2
Spokane	8	11	1

Batteries—Gunnarson, Pearson (7) and Brenner; Babbitt and Younker.

Wenatchee	3	7	0
Bremerton	2	6	4

Batteries—Cronin and Siok; Marshall and Ronning.

Legion, United To Bid For Coast Loop Berths

By the time the next soccer season rolls around, Victoria will possibly have two entries in the Pacific Coast League, as both Victoria United and Canadian Legion, Victoria senior league champs, are making bids for entry in the circuit.

At a meeting last night, delegates of the four senior clubs, together with officials from the city soccer association showed displeasure when informed that the United had already made application for a position in the league without first consulting the city and district body.

Canadian Legion hopes to operate a complete farm system next year, with entries in the city senior loop, intermediate, and juvenile leagues as well as the proposed Coast League entry.

Delegates from the three other city league squads, Oak Bay, Wests and Esquimalt, agreed that a separate entry for the Coast League would ensure a better showing in the competition.

A meeting of the Victoria and District loop is planned for discussion of the player situation for next season. Under the new agreement, all teams, including the United, will compete in an open market for soccer talent next year.

Senior league will have the benefit of an additional playing surface next season with the resurfacing of Windsor and Bullen Parks.

Angels Take Over Lead In Coast Loop; Rainiers Win

The Los Angeles Angels supplant San Francisco Seals as Pacific Coast League leaders today by a flyspeck margin.

Actually the teams are tied in percentage, at .600 each, but Los Angeles has a half-game edge by virtue of having played five more games than the Seals.

Los Angeles moved up front by trimming San Diego 5 to 2 last night while San Francisco split a doubleheader with Sacramento.

The scores were the same, but reversed, in the two Seals-Solons contests. Sacramento won the seven-inning first game 6 to 2 on a 13-hit attack as pitcher Rex Cecil limited Seals to six hits.

In the regulation length second game San Francisco won 6 to 2.

Oakland moved into third place in the standings by beating Portland 7 to 2. The Oaks grouped their runs in the fourth, fifth and sixth innings and benefitted by three errors by Portland shortstop Len Ratto.

Hollywood and Seattle, tied for the cellar, set out to play a doubleheader but the first game, supposed to be a seven-inning affair, last 12 before Seattle won 4 to 3. They started the second game but had to quit in a 1 to 1 tie after the fourth because of the time limit.

Set Grid Workout

Newly-formed Victoria Cougars of the Pacific Coast grid loop will hold a workout at Heywood Avenue tomorrow morning at 10.30, it was announced by coach Lou Mogul today.

Anyone wishing to play for the club is asked to be on hand. Spring training practices will run for a month, and Mogul will conduct a school on the fundamentals of the game.

Baseball Standings

W.I.L.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Salem	8	1	.750
Vancouver	4	2	.667
Spokane	5	4	.556
Yakima	3	3	.500
Tacoma	2	2	.500
Wenatchee	4	5	.444
VICTORIA	2	4	.333
Bremerton	2	4	.333

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	2	0	1.000
Philadelphia	3	1	.750
Detroit	3	1	.750
Washington	3	1	.750
New York	1	3	.250
Boston	1	3	.250
St. Louis	0	1	.000
Chicago	0	3	.000

NATIONAL LEAGUE

St. Louis	3	1	.750
Philadelphia	3	1	.750
Cincinnati	3	2	.600
New York	2	2	.500
Brooklyn	2	2	.500
Pittsburgh	2	3	.400
Chicago	1	3	.250
Boston	1	3	.250

COAST LEAGUE

Los Angeles	15	10	.600
San Francisco	12	8	.600
Oakland	12	11	.522
San Diego	12	12	.500
Portland	11	11	.500
Sacramento	9	11	.450
Hollywood	8	12	.400
Seattle	8	12	.400

Burnside Bowlers Open Season May 1

Celebrating its 25th anniversary this year, the Burnside Lawn Bowling Club is declaring "open house" to anyone interested in joining the club when the season opens, May 1, starting at 2.

Green will be open for play Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights at 7, and Saturday and Sunday afternoons at 2.

Club will supply the balls, but players are requested to bring canvas or rubber soled shoes. Regular members will be on hand to instruct newcomers in the rules of the game.

Further information may be obtained by phoning G 1341 or G 7456.

Campbell Replaces Porter On Mat Card

Substituting for Tex Porter, veteran Joe Campbell will wrestle Al Szasz in the special four-round opening event on tonight's mat card at the Armories, starting at 8.30. Campbell has been in the business for 15 years, and is a good, clean grappler.

Double main event on the card will pit together Jack McLauchlan and Jack Kiser in one match, with headliner George Temple and the Spaniard, Chico Gracia in the other half.

Sir Malcolm Campbell Set For Record Try

KELOWNA, B.C. (CP) — Sir Malcolm Campbell, famed speedboat racer, is ready to come to Kelowna, it was learned.

He has informed a Kelowna friend, W. T. Buss, that he is prepared to come as soon as his Bluebird "II's" jet engine goes through preliminary tests.

It is planned to have Sir Malcolm try for a world speedboat record on Okanagan Lake during the summer. A campaign to raise $25,000 to finance the trial is under way here. He can get an export permit for his boat, but is unable to export sufficient funds from Britain.

Memorial Cup Final Series Opens Tonight

TORONTO (CP)—The Memorial Cup final series—classic of Canadian junior hockey—moves into the spotlight tonight when the first game of the best-of-seven series is played here.

The long trail to the final, spotted with countless games and teams throughout Canada, is over. Barrie Flyers are junior kings of the east while Port Arthur West End Bruins are monarchs of the west.

The two clubs will angle before a sell-out crowd of more than 14,000 fans. The winner of the series is anybody's guess, although Barrie occupies the favorite position.

Bruins reached the finals the hard way. In their western Canada playoffs against Lethbridge Native Sons they at one time faced a 3 to 1 defeat in games, but roared back to take three straight to win the series.

Barrie Flyers advanced to the final in easy fashion. They swept through their quarter - finals against Porcupine Combines and their eastern Canada final against Montreal Nationales in straight games.

Neither of the teams has ever captured the coveted cup. Flyers are a fairly new team with only a few years of hockey under their belts, while the closest Port Arthur ever came to winning was in 1927 when they were ousted in the final by Owen Sound Greys.

SMALL TOWN CLUBS

Both clubs have raised their hometown fan support to the peak, and neither team can boost they come from a large centre. Bruins represent some 25,000 citizens while Flyers are backed by 10,000 hockey-loving fans.

One of the deciding factors in the series will be whether Bruins are fast enough—or too fast—for flyers who outskated their opposition throughout their final playoffs and were most dangerous when their enemy was pushing them around. Flyers made a specialty of coming from behind to win.

To date, western teams have claimed the Memorial Cup 15 times, compared with 14 victories by eastern clubs.

Toronto St. Michael's College were last year's winners and Winnipeg Monarchs took the trophy two years ago.

JUNIOR BUTTON GOLF

Bob Dunlop and Dave Turnbull will challenge Ronnie MacLeod and Jim Barrie, junior button golf titlists, in a match at the Victoria Golf Club, tomorrow afternoon at 1.30.

N.H.L.'s Proposed Team Player Plan To Be Aired Today

TORONTO (CP)—Officials of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association remained concealed behind a cloak of secrecy today as the National Hockey League's proposed team-player contract plan was due for a hearing before more than 100 delegates attending the three-day annual meeting of the C.A.H.A.

President Al Pickard of Regina, reluctant to talk about the much-publicized plan whereby the C.A.H.A. would become a professional body, said "the matter would be discussed by the delegates today."

Last night president Clarence Campbell of the N.H.L. met officials of the association in a conference behind closed doors. It was learned he urged the C.A.H.A. to accept the professional plan "for the good of hockey."

Campbell's plan would give $5,000 to amateur clubs for each amateur player signed by major league teams. The money, payable by the N.H.L. to senior teams binding players to a contract, would be in addition to $3,500 assured by the American Hockey League.

The N.H.L. grant of $31,000 to the C.A.H.A. would automatically be eliminated if the new plan is adopted.

HALL OF FAME

During a banquet last night William Northey of Montreal, W. A. Hewitt, Toronto and Claude Robinson, Vancouver, were presented with scrolls by captain Jim Sutherland of Kingston, signifying their acceptance into hockey's hall of fame.

Box Score

VICTORIA—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Balassi, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Cirimele, 2b	3	0	0	1	4	0
Palmer, ss	4	1	1	3	5	1
Wilson, cf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Jensen, 1b	2	0	0	4	0	0
Kubiak, lf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Koraleski, 3b	4	0	0	0	5	0
Danielson, c	3	0	0	4	1	0
Kasparovitch, p	2	0	1	0	1	1
Jones, 1b	2	0	0	0	0	0
*Owens	0	0	0	0	0	0
†Recca	1	0	0	0	0	0
Powers, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Propst, p	0	0	0	1	0	0
Goot, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	33	2	6	24	18	2

*Walked for Kasparovitch in 7th.
†Fanned for Cirimele in 7th.

TACOMA—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Clough, cf	4	2	1	2	0	0
Lewis, 2b	4	2	1	3	1	0
Lee, 3b	3	1	2	3	3	0
Greco, rf	3	0	0	6	0	0
Rossi, c	3	0	1	5	1	0
Vallee, 1b	3	0	2	6	0	0
Stetter, lf	4	0	0	1	1	1
Sciarra, ss	4	0	1	1	2	1
Fortier, p	4	1	1	0	2	0
Totals	32	6	9	27	10	2

Victoria	100 000 100— 2
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SUMMARY

Innings pitched: Kasparovitch 6, Propst 1-3, Goot 2-3, Fortier 9. Hits off Kasparovitch 5, Propst 1, Fortier 2. Strikeouts by Kasparovitch 1, Fortier 5. Bases on balls off Kasparovitch 1, Propst 4, Fortier 2. Left on bases: Victoria 6, Tacoma 8. Two-base hits: Vallee, Lewis, Lee. Runs batted in: Wilson, Lee 4, Rossi, Vallee. Sacrifice: Greco. Double plays: Cirimele to Jones, Fortier to Lee to Allee, Koraleski to Danielson to Jones. Losing pitcher, Kasparovitch. Balk, Fortier. Time, 2.09. Umpires: Jerry Mathieu and Frank Dehaney.

Ceremonies Set For Baseball Opener

Plans for the opening ceremonies, when Victoria Athletics tangle with Buddy Ryan's Spokane Indians in the first home game of the season for the A's Monday night at Athletic Park, are well under way, business manager Reg Patterson of the A's said today.

Bob Abel, president of the W.I.L., will be on hand to take part in official pre-game ceremonies as will be Mayor Percy E. George, and reeves of the various municipalities.

J. V. Johnson, president of the Victoria Baseball and Athletic Co., will officially welcome the fans to the local opening of the 1948 season.

Manager Ted Norbert of the A's and Ryan of the Spokane club will introduce the players of the respective teams.

Game time is 8 and according to Patterson there is every indication that the park will be a sellout for the initial tilt.

BASEBALL PRACTICE

Tillicum juvenile baseball team will practice at Beacon Hill Park Sunday at 10. All players are asked to attend.

Sisler-Lapointe Deal Benefits Cards, Phils

The Dick Sisler-Ralph Lapointe trade is shaping up as a good deal for both sides. Sisler's hitting is helping Philadelphia Phillies and Lapointe is plugging a gap in the St. Louis Cardinal infield.

Both teams are tied for first place in the National League.

Sisler, hitting at a .333 clip, socked two homers and drove in four runs as the Phils trounced Brooklyn 10 to 2 yesterday.

Lapointe doubled home the Cards' only run in the ninth in their 1 to 0 triumph over the Cubs in Chicago. Until Lapointe came through in the ninth, the Cards managed only one hit off southpaw Johnny Schmitz, an infield single by Nippy Jones in the fifth.

Harry Brecheen stopped the Cubs on nine safeties before an opening day crowd of 26,591 fans.

Sisler wasn't the only noise at Brooklyn. Rookie Richie Ashburn collected three hits, and scored three runs as the Phils cuffed three Dodger pitchers for 13 hits.

At Boston, New York Giants spoiled opening day festivities for the Braves as Ray Poat pitched the Giants to a five-hit, 3 to 1 triumph. Willard Marshall of the Giants with two singles and a double, drove in two runs.

Cincinnati Reds defeated Pittsburgh Pirates 5 to 3 to pull to within a half game of the deadlocked Cards and Phils. Frankie Baumholtz's seventh-inning single scored Virgil Stallcup with what proved to be the deciding run. Elwell Blackwell pitched the first seven innings and received credit for his second victory.

INDIANS UNDEFEATED

Meanwhile, Cleveland Indians took over sole possession of first place in the American League. The Indians crushed the Tigers, 8 to 2 before 45,233 opening day fans in Detroit. The Indians, with two victories, are the only undefeated team in either circuit.

Ken Keltner batted in four runs and hit two homers to lead the Indians' offensive. Larry Doby and winning pitcher Bob Lemon also banged homers.

The loss dropped the Tigers into a three-way tie with Philadelphia Athletics and Washington Senators for second place.

The Senators beat the A's 5 to 3 in 10 innings in the first American League game of the season in Philadelphia.

YANKEES BLANKED

In another opening day game, the Boston Red Sox shutout the Yankees, 4 to 0 before 44,619 fans at New York. While Ted Williams paced the victor's attack with a homer and two singles, Lefty Mickey Harris held the Yanks to five hits. It was Boston's first triumph of the season in four starts.

Short score follows:

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Washington	5	11	0
Philadelphia	3	9	0

10 innings.
Batteries—Masterson, Perrick (10) and Early; McCahan, Brissie (10) and Rosar.

Cleveland	8	15	1
Detoit	2	6	0

Batteries—Lemon and Hegan; Hutchinson, Gray (6) and Swift.

Boston	4	7	0
New York	0	5	2

Batteries—Harris and Tebbetts; Shea, Page (6), Embree (8) and Niarhos.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
New York	3	9	2
Boston	1	5	1

Batteries—Poat and Cooper; Spahn, Wright (8) and Masi.

Pittsburgh	3	8	2
Cincinnati	5	8	0

Batteries—Higbe, Lombardi (7) and Kuiitz; Blackwell, Gumbert (8) and Lamanno.

St. Louis	1	2	0
Chicago	0	3	2

Batteries—Brecheen and Rice; Schmitz, and McCullough.

Philadelphia	10	13	2
Brooklyn	2	8	2

Batteries—Donnelly and Seminick; Hatten, King (6), Hall (8) and Hodges, Campanella (8).

Meeting Of Church Softballers May 4

Stan Johnstone was elected president of the Church Softball League at a meeting Thursday. League will be divided into two divisions, junior, 13 years and under; senior, 17 years and under.

Church groups or boys' club groups wishing to enter the league are asked to have a delegate present at a meeting at the First Baptist Church Hall, May 4 at 7.30. All entries must be filed at this meeting. Maximum for each team is 15 players.

Local Hot Rods Ready Buggies For Season Opener At Langford

Speed demons who pilot their souped-up race buggies around the Langford Speedway each Saturday night during the summer months will soon be at it again.

Bruce Passmore, owner of the Langford oval, has anounced that the first race of the season will take place May 1. And it promises to be a gala affair.

A new lighting system has been installed, alterations to the grandstand carried out and a new fence built around the enclosure.

Racing will be held every Saturday, weather permitting, through until Sept. 25 with special events on May 24 and July 1.

During the winter many Victoria enthusiasts have been rebuilding their cars or completing new jobs and this fact, as in the past, spells trouble for the strong contingent of American drivers and cars who weekly make the trip to Victoria to vie for the all-important prize money.

BONUS PRIZE

One of the main prizes the throttle pushers will be shooting at this season is the $250 bonus offered to the driver, American or Canadian, who can break the existing track record of 18 seconds. The B.C.A.S.A. and Passmore have each put up $100 of the bonus while Eric Foster, immediate past president of the association, has added $50.

Any driver bettering the 18-second mark will have to negotiate the less than three-eighths of a mile track at a speed in excess of 75 miles per hour.

Last year local drivers proved conclusively that they could hold their own with American drivers both at Langford and at American tracks.

Ask Del Fanning of Seattle who holds the Pacific Northwest championship plus a den loaded with trophies.

He will tell you that Victoria drivers are tough competition, not only at home, but also when they invade Washington and Oregon.

Last year at Aurora Speedway, local driver Pike Green at the wheel of the number 25 car, owned by Chuck House of Tacoma, won the 40-lap main event.

In 1946 at Eugene, Oregon, Victoria's Digger Caldwell took the 40-lap main event and last year won various races on Washington and other American tracks. Another Victoria driver, Dave Cooper, took his number 12 car to Aurora and placed in the money. Later at Yakima when his ear cracked up, Cooper stepped into an American-owned car and placed in the money.

Jerry Vantreight, who last year at Langford won the poll as most popular driver, gunned his number 23 car into the money at both Seattle and Portland tracks.

Other drivers to win money in Seattle at the wheel of their Victoria-built cars during 1947 were Ken McMurray and George Haslam.

Final proof of the tough competition the local drivers hand out revolves around the $100 bonus purse offered by the B.C. Automotive Sports Association and Passmore to the American driver in an American car who could win the main event. This bonus was never picked up last year.

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Nick Metz Retires From Hockey After 12 Seasons

TORONTO (CP)—Thirty-four-year-old Nick Metz of the Stanley Cup-winning Toronto Maple Leafs Friday announced his playing days in the National Hockey League are over.

The red-headed Wilcox, Sask., wheat farmer told Leaf manager Conny Smythe he was bowing out along with Syl Apps, who announced his retirement several weeks ago.

"It is a great blow to lose two such great players as Apps and Metz at the same time," said Smythe. "Both players did a marvelous job during the years they played for the Leafs. They gave everything they had and I can but wish them the very best of luck in the future."

That "during the years" meant 12 seasons in the major league for Nick. He turned professional in 1934 with Syracuse of the old International League and was brought up to the Leafs in the playoffs.

He has been with the club ever since, with the exception of two years in the Canadian army.

During the last two seasons Nick has been used in a utility role. He teamed with Joe Klukay to form one of the league's outstanding penalty-killing duos.

In his playing career Nick scored 131 goals and 119 assists for 250 points in league competition. In 10 playoffs he earned 19 goals and 20 assists for 39 points.

Along with his younger brother Don and Wally Stanowski, Nick has been a member of four Stanley Cup-winning teams. He also helped with the N.H.L. title three times.

Mount Douglas Wins Softball Opener

Scoring all their runs off pitcher Jack Laidlaw in the first six innings, Mount Douglas High School scored a 12 to 9 victory over Esquimalt in the interhigh senior softball opener yesterday.

Bob Fleming, replacing Laidlaw in the sixth, successfully throttled the home squad, pitching shutout ball the rest of the way.

After Esquimalt opened the game with three runs in the first inning, winners came back to score five in their half and add another trio in the third. Don McGee clouted a home run for Saanichites in the sixth, when another four runs came across, sending Laidlaw out under fire. Den McGee was on the mound for winners.

England Leads In Davis Cup Play

HARROGATE, Yorkshire, Eng. (AP)—Great Britain defeated India in doubles Friday, taking a lead of two matches to one in their Davis Cup tennis match. It was a first-round match in the European zone.

Tony Mottram and Geoff Paish subdued Indians Sumant Misra and Subh Sawnhey, 6-3, 7-5, 6-2.

The two teams will play the final two decisive singles matches today. The winner will meet Norway, which drew a first round bye.

Olympic Games Main Course Of Huge Sports Feast In Britain

LONDON (CP)—Britain's post-war sports boom shows no signs of declining, and a record athletic feast is being spread this year, with the Olympic Games as the main course.

Unslackening interest in sport was evident at two spring events, the Grand National steeplechase and the university boat race.

Fine weather helped and there were crowds of about 350,000 and 1,250,000 respectively—the latter believed to be an all-time record.

Football generally has had record financial success this season with several local attendance records broken and transfer fees steadily increasing.

The spotlight then switches to cricket, with Don Bradman's Australian eleven playing its quadrennial visit, opening its tour at Worcester early in May and going on to a series of five test matches.

England, seeking to regain the Ashes, will depend on a side stronger in batting than bowling, with Middlesex Denis Compton the featured batsman.

HORSE RACING

Meantime the racing season will be in top gear with the first two classic races—the One Thousand and Two Thousand Guineas—down for settlement at Newmarket late in April and the next two—the Oaks and Derby—set for Epsom early in June.

The Two Thousand and the Derby appear more open contests than they did at this time last year, when the Epsom failure, Tudor Minstrel, dominated the market. Currently four colts share most speculators' support—My Baby, The Cobbler, Birthday Greetings and Black Tarquin.

Tennis at Wimbledon, rowing at Henley, shooting at Bisley—in which a Canadian team will participate for the first time since the war—and several major golf tournaments will keep the pot boiling through the mid-summer months.

Greyhound racing, following relaxation of a governmental ban on mid-week meetings, will hit its peak with the "dog derby" at White City Stadium in July.

These events set the stage for the Olympics, opening at Wembley July 29. An estimated 5,000 athletes will compete in 17 sports on behalf of at least 54 countries—shattering the previous record number of competitiors—3,959—at Berlin in 1936.

Stan Leonard Hopes To Enter U.S. Open Golf Tournament

VANCOUVER (CP) — Stan Leonard, Marine Drive golf course professional and probably Canada's best golfer, hopes to gain entry in this year's United States open.

Leonard, a little guy with a long drive, finished second in the Bing Crosby invitational meet behind former U.S. Open champion Lloyd Mangrum, last year.

Of course Leonard can't say "I want to enter," fill out a form and step into the U.S. Open tournament.

To be eligible he must qualify in the northwest sections. Probably 1,000 golfers want to enter the Open but only 171 are eligible.

Sectional trials will be held and Leonard will enter the northwest primary. Once before, in 1938, the Marine pro chose to try for a spot in the championship, but was eliminated in the northwest tournament.

Only four spots were open in the Los Angeles event to winners and Leonard placed fifth.

"I believe there will be more than four places for the northwest this time," Leonard said. "That'll give me a better chance."

To add to his chances, Stan has greatly improved since the 1938 competition.

The big tourney will be held on the Riviera course in Los Angeles on June 11 and 12.

Rookie Ball Player Gets Run-Around

CHICAGO (AP)—The complexities of baseball's waiver rule have rookie outfielder Larry Miggins of St. Louis Cardinals—for the moment—on a wild merry-go-round.

Within a week, 22-year-old Miggins was waived by the Cardinals, claimed by the Chicago Cubs, waived by the Cubs and claimed by the Cardinals.

All of this manoeuvring was an attempt by both the Cards and Cubs to shake Miggins loose for further minor league seasoning.

He was drafted by St. Louis last fall from Minneapolis of the American Association. As a drafted player, he must be waived out of the majors for minor league assignment.

The Cards still want to farm him out but the Cubs are ineligible for future claim.

Carpet Bowling

Results of matches in the Capital City and District Carpet Bowling Tournament follow:

Open doubles—Drummond and Thomas 18, Bridges and Cruickshank 16; Drummond and Thomas 22, Whittle and Greenslade 17.

Triples final—McKenzie, Williams and Mars 15, Colvin, Griffin and Pannell 13.

Mixed dobles final—W. Cull and Mrs. A. McMillan 26, G. Cruickshank and Mrs. Griffin 16.

Singles—J. Whittle 21, G. Cruickshank 19; T. Bridges 21, L. Greenslade 8; H. Bates 21, J. Whittle 19.

DRAW

Monday—Birnie Cup doubles: McKenzie and Williams vs. Cull and Sheppard; Drummond and McMillan vs T. Bridge and W. Bolton.

Tuesday—Bolton, Sheppard and Merriman vs. Whittle, McMillan and Jenkins; W. R. Colvin vs. H. Bates.

Wednesday — Byng Shield playoff: Beadles (R. McKenzie, skip) vs. Mt. Tolmie (T. Bridges, skip); Birnie Cup doubles: Manson and Greenslade vs. Bates and Pannell.

Thursday—Birnie Cup doubles: Colvin and Leal vs. Williams and Merriman.

Friday—Singles final: T. Bridges plays winner of Bates vs. Colvin.

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25	2.47	8.6	10.30	2.2	19.59	7.5	22.04	7.2
26	2.59	8.6	11.05	1.1	21.14	7.8	22.39	7.7
27	3.34	8.6	11.51	1.1	22.36	8.1	23.10	8.0
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30	6.29	8.4	.....	..	14.19	2.1	.....	..

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DUNCAN DETACHMENT

The Cowichan River at the mouth and at the Cowichan Lake end of the river are both fairly good. A small spinner or artificial minnow will take fish. The Chemainus and Koksilah Rivers are poor, although a few fish can be taken at the mouth of the Chemainus. Rogers Lake is fairly good for fly or bait, while Cowichan Lake is poor.

QUALICUM DETACHMENT

At present the lower reaches of the local rivers and streams in this area are producing fair results. The Qualicum River, a stretch above the highway bridge, has been very good during the past week.

No reports from Cameron or Horne Lakes, but still a bit early for best results. Should be a good time to try the smaller lakes in the Blackjack area.

ALBERNI DETACHMENT

The fishing in all sections has been very slow this past week, just the odd fish has been taken from both rivers and lakes.

The Sproat River was fished heavily last week, but only a few fishermen were rewarded, and then with only three fish at the most. There were a few steelhead in the Mahmint River, and some were taken on the fly.

COURTENAY DETACHMENT

Lakes—Black and Wolf Lakes fair; Comox and Horn Lakes poor.

Rivers in the Courtenay district are begining to pick up as far as the trout fishing is concerned, the mouths and headwaters yielding the best results. Steelhead fishing in this district is dropping off rapidly.

Creeks are remaining poor, but showing signs of picking up as the odd trout is being taken.

Sea fishing is very spotty, and classed as poor.

Longden Hits 3,000 Winner Mark; Now Aims For 4,000

SAN MATEO, Calif. (AP)—Johnny Longden, the only jockey to ride 3,000 winners on North American tracks, is "aiming for 4,000 now."

Longden wrote his name in turf history aboard Bub in the fourth race at Bay Meadows yesterday, hit 3,001 with Sunfair in the sixth and is up on Mafosta, the favorite, in today's $10,000 added San Mateo Handicap.

The 38-year-old veteran, a native of England and a former resident of Taber, Alta., has been riding professionally for 21 years.

He is not the first rider to win 3,000. That honor went some time ago to Gordon Richards of England, who scored his 3,508th Thursday.

Overtaking Richards, who has been riding since 1921, is "a big order to fill but I am going to make a good try," said the tiny veteran. "I'm aiming for 4,000 now.'

The rider will be given a banquet Wednesday night by general manager William F. Kyne of Bay Meadows. Kyne operated the Lagoon Park Track in Salt Lake City when Longden rode his first winner on Hugo K. Archer Oct. 4, 1926.

At the banquet Johnny will get an expensive split-second timing watch with his engraved initials studded with diamonds.

Perhaps the memento he'll treasure most is an old, red, turtle-neck sweater presented to him immediately after his 3,000th yesterday by Joe Cooper, one of the country's oldest trainers.

The sweater was worn by the late Tod Sloane, jockey immortal of American turf, in winning the California Derby at the now-extinct Emeryville, Calif., track in 1901.

Clover Leafs In Smashing Victory

REGINA (CP) — The sharp-shooting Vancouver Clover Leafs last night slammed a blistering 103 to 65 defeat on Regina Legion in the first game of the western senior basketball semifinals.

The British Columbia champions found the answer to Regina's zone defence in the first quarter when they jumped into a 25 to 14 lead.

They stretched it to 43 to 27 by half-time and to 73 to 49 by the end of the third quarter. Then they poured in 30 points in the final quarter as Regina defence crumbled.

Vancouver carries a 38-point lead into the second game of the total-point series here tonight.

Jack Pomfret whipped in 24 points to lead Vancouver who conquered Magrath Lions in the Alberta-B.C. playoffs. He was followed by Bob Burtwell with 20 and Harry Franklin with 17.

Bill Clarke sparked a ragged Regina offensive with 15 points. Only once did the Regina club hold their own with the polished Leafs — they outscored Vancouver for the first half of the third quarter until smooth-passing Vancouver forwards began feeding passes to Bob Pickel. Pickel scored eight points in the third quarter and 14 during the game.

World Kegling King In A.B.C. Tourney

DETROIT (AP) — Andy Varipapa, world match game champion, will head a parade of potent pinsters into the 45th annual American Bowling Congress championship firing tonight.

Varipapa, 54-year-old trick shot artist from Brooklyn recently defended his world match title against a field of 160 of the nation's ranking bowlers. He then went on to win the national doubles, paired with Lou Campi.

The world match king also paces the country's bowlers in A.B.C. competition with a 204.65 average over 10 years. Last year he hit 1,906 in all-events.

Major League Umpire Put Damper On Dykes

SEATTLE (AP)—"Umpires," Jimmy Dykes observed today, "are 100 per cent honest but they can't possibly be 100 per cent right.

"I've held to this theory for 32 years but I haven't won an argument yet."

The peppery manager of the Coast League Hollywood Stars told the Puget Sound Sportswriters and Sportscasters Association he did not consider himself an umpire baiter. "I've never quawked unless I thought, honestly, the umpire missed the play," said Jimmy.

He recounted several brushes with the men in blue and said one major league arbiter did a good job of putting the damper on Dykes.

"I thought the pitch was a little high," said Jim, "but I didn't say a word—just looked around at the ump.

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With Outdoor Sportsmen

By CAP THORSEN

Springs are late in arriving at Saanich Inlet this spring. There are rumors about the odd one being caught, but there is definitely no run in yet. They are usually around in late April, records show.

This week while Capt. A. C Cruchley was in the process of reeling in a quartette of fish, he saw one angler take a weighty salmon, but did not recognize him by name.

When Victoria's Gordon Mason sallies forth from the Goldstream end tomorrow he will have in mind the keen victory he scored the same day last year. On the 1947 day he reeled in a spanking 26½-pounder.

In any case the circuit pros report some blues and grilse around, but they are not fussy about the artificial offerings of anglers.

THAT "HOT" SUBJECT

J. L. Tait, regional supervisor of fisheries, writes Victoria-Saanich Inlet Anglers' Association officials, that the controversial matter of having control of B.C. sport salmon fishing switched from Dominion to provincial jurisdiction will not come up at the Harrison Lake convention of sportsmen at the latter end of next week.

Says Tait: "I have been answered by Commissioner James Cunningham who also states the Game Board is through with it and that the Federal Department of Fisheries can keep it."

Shawnigan Lake last Sunday was red-letter day for many fly and spoon anglers. Many limits and near-limits of the sporty Kamloops trout were taken.

During the early part of this week a low barometer took the "good" out of the reports, but with the glass up again the lake is considered a good bet for this week-end. One fisherman who is alergic to having his name in print, took his limit on Thursday on the fly in the southend waters.

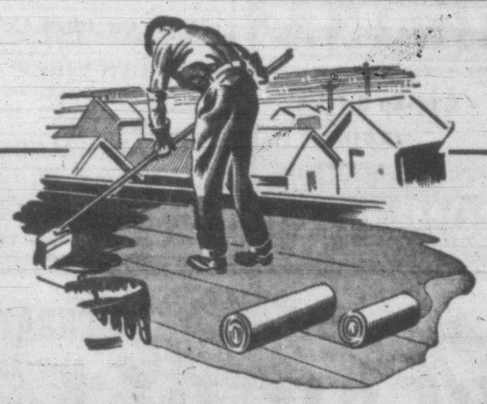
Cowichan River's source, mouth and in the Duncan area is recommended for artificial minnow and spinner trollers.

Thetis Lake is also offering some good sport. There was one angler who scored his dozen there Thursday, according to Wilf Gouge Sr.

SHORT-SHOTS

Women shotgun marksmen are few and far between in this area. Rarely are female shots seen in action at the Victoria Gun Club grounds on Albert Head Road. However, during the last two shoots Duncan's Mrs. P. Mattin has taken her place at the posts and shot it out with the males. Last Sunday prairie visitors at the gun club shoot were the McConnell brothers and wives. They were C. L. from Winnipeg and Dr. L. H. from Saskatoon.

Members of the Victoria Fish and Game Protective Association who have hammers and saws, are asked to turn out in strong numbers for the Goldstream work bee tomorrow on the clubhouse site . . . Jim Leckie is the new owner of a 21-foot craft in which he will be cruising Saanich Inlet this year seeking the salmon offerings, according to daughter Edna.



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Club Will Campaign Next Week For Funds To Build New Bureau

Plans are now completed for the launching Monday of a public subscription compaign for $20,000 to be used for the erection of new quarters for the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau.

The project has been undertaken by the Rotary Club of Victoria whose members will go all-out next week, soliciting donations to the building fund so that the objective may be reached by next Saturday.

Louis Michelin, president-elect of the Rotary Club, is general chairman of the campaign, George Brown is chairman of the subscription drive, and John Craig is in charge of accounting.

LARGELY OF GLASS

The new bureau will be constructed largely of glass, along most modern designs. Doors, ceilings and one whole wall will be of glass, while other walls will be of brick and concrete.

Location of the new bureau is at the southwest corner of Government and Humboldt Streets, next to the Imperial Oil tower. At present, the site is a triangular patch of grass where a cairn now stands, informing visitors this was the site of Fort Camosun. The plague from the cairn will be mounted inside the new building.

NO TAXES, FREE RENT

The property is city-owned, and the Rotary Club has been assured of a 20-year lease, tax and rent free.

Floor plan of the new bureau, designed by the architect firm of Birley, Wade and Stockdill, provides a long writing desk for visitors, plenty of seating accommodation, space for three or more desks for the bureau's behind-the-counter staff, and a private office for bureau commissioner, George I. Warren.

The building will be a one-story structure with about 1,400 square feet of floor space.

Present bureau quarters are located with the Chamber of Commerce offices in the Arcade Building.

While H. B. Harris, 345 Gorge Road West, was attending a Belmont United Church meeting last evening his car slipped its brakes on Pembroke Street, ran down the street and wound up in collision with a power pole, city police reported. Damage was minor.

Wootton Informs Mayor He Made No Attack On City

Reeve R. A. B. Wootton of Oak Bay denies he attacked the city verbally over differences arising out of negotiations for the creation of a metropolitan water board.

In a letter to Mayor Percy George, the Reeve says he was misquoted in the newspapers.

"Please be assured that I have made no attack on the city such as has been suggested," he wrote.

It was reported in The Victoria Times Thursday that Reeve Wootton at an Oak Bay Council meeting "angrily went to the defence of his municipality" in its position regarding formation of a water board.

Oak Bay refuses to join a board under the city's terms.

It was reported that he took strong exception to reports that amendments sought by Oak Bay to the city's bill authorizing establishment of the board would have given the municipality all the advantages of membership without the liabilities.

"I never thought I would see the day when Victoria would try to out-Hitler Hitler. This is a free country still and we will continue to administer Oak Bay as our consciences dictate, and will take no notice of these sort of tactics," he was reported to have said.

In his letter to Mayor George, the Oak Bay reeve said: "Perhaps you will be so good as to mention this matter to your colleagues with my respects.

"We may differ in our policies but it is the endeavor of my council to maintain that good policy of diplomatic decency between ourselves and other governments which is traditional in countries under the Crown," he wrote.

Jubilee Hospital Has $9,689 Deficit; Appeals For Funds

Royal Jubilee Hospital which had an operating deficit of $9,689 in the first three months of the year, is appealing for subscriptions from citizens who have donated in past year.

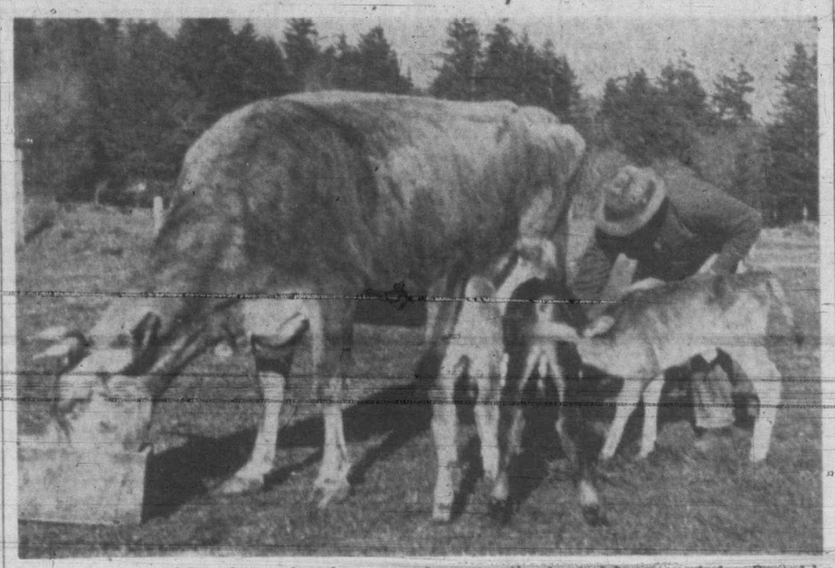
Approximately 2,000 letters are being mailed pointing out the need for funds and asking that donations be made.

Plans were discussed at a meeting of the hospital board Friday night and it was agreed that the annual meeting of subscribers will be held in the evening rather than the afternoon with the hope that a bigger turnout will be seen. Date set is June 17. The meeting, at 8, will be in the nurses' home.

In the appeal for donations, it is pointed out that persons subscribing at least $5 a year are entitled to vote at the annual meeting.

"And in these days when there is so much criticism of the extremely high cost of operating the hospital, it is important that subscribers use their vote," board members said.

Sooke Cow Makes Genetic History



This Jersey cow and her three calves have caused a commotion in stock-breeding circles. Owned by Fred Milne of Milne's Landing, Sooke, this cow, from the Deertrail strain, had a calf. Five weeks later Mr. Milne was surprised to find the Jersey had had another calf. He sent for his neighbor to come over, and before he arrived another calf was born. Triplet births are rare, but it is the first time a birth under these circumstances has been recorded.

Sales Tax, Hospital Plan Highlight Current Session

The current session of the Provincial Legislature, scheduled to end next week, will be remembered as the longest in more than a score of years, the session which provided for the 3 per cent retail sales tax and for the compulsory hospital insurance scheme.

The number of days the 48 members actually worked will total 41, if the House prorogues on Wednesday of next week as is anticipated. Thus the lawmakers will have sat more days than during any year since 1926, when the House met for 43 days' work.

The retail sales tax, which now only awaits the formal royal assent of the Lieutenant-Governor, is the first really new form of taxation to be shouldered by British Columbians through action of the Provincial Legislature in years.

True last year the province took over the three-cent a gallon wartime federal tax on gasoline but as it did not result in any increase then in the price of gasoline, the day on which the tax began producing for the province instead of the federal government passed almost unnoticed by the gasoline consumers of the province.

The 3 per cent sales tax, however, will be felt by every person of the province when the law, formally titled "an act to provide for the imposition and collection of a tax on the purchase and use of tangible personal property to provide funds for social security and municipal aid," is proclaimed. While Finance Minister Herbert Anscomb had announced earlier that the tax would be levied about May 15, it now appears that the machinery for collecting the tax will not be set up in time for the levy to be collected before June 1.

The tax is officially estimated by Mr. Anscomb to make the people of the province $12,000,000 a year poorer, but other members of the treasury benches in the Legislature unofficially have estimated the tax will gross as high as $20,000,000 or $30,000,000 a year.

As the title of the act implies the money will go into the provincial treasury to be allocated for old-age pensions and social allowances and to the municipalities of the province. The 90-odd municipalities will get one-third of the net revenue of the tax.

COLLECTION FORCE

Collection of the tax will provide jobs for a considerable army of office workers and inspectors. How many exactly is not known but it is thought by some that the force may exceed 200.

Many details of the collection of the tax have yet to be worked out. Much of the actual work of collection will be shouldered by retail merchants, who will receive some compensation for their work. What per cent of the tax they collect they will receive has not been indicated although Finance Minister Anscomb has suggested that the payment for their services will be worked out on a sliding scale which will give the small merchants a larger share of the collection than big stores with annual turnovers of hundreds of thousands and millions of dollars.

One thing now is certain. The manufacturing and industrial plants of the province are going to pay a considerable share of the tax, because the levy will be collected on machinery used in production, although not on raw materials. It is estimated the tax on machinery will produce 65 per cent of the total revenues from the new source of provincial wealth.

The bill to provide for the sales tax has been the hardest fought during the current session, and it is quite possible some provisions may be contested in the courts.

On the other hand the bill to provide for hospital insurance won almost unanimous support in the House.

Like the sales tax measure it is a proclamation bill, to come into force by order of the Lieutenant-Governor. Setting up the machinery to provide for this plan will probably take much longer than the establishment of the force to collect the sales tax.

While it is possible British Columbians may not start paying their premiums until late this year it is doubtful that the scheme will provide benefits before the first of next year.

As in the case of the sales tax many of the details of the hospital insurance scheme must yet be worked out and approved by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council. British Columbians may expect, however, that they will contribute a sum not more than $33 annually in return for full in-patient hospital care on a ward basis for a family. The scheme will include X-ray, drugs, operating room and case room services.

WIVES' RIGHTS

Two bills now are before the Legislature which will provide for the extension of rights to wives. One entirely new measure for British Columbia provides that a wife may arrange to protect her interest in the family home, while the other extends the grounds on which a wife may take suit against her husband for support of herself and her children.

Two bills which will affect the city of Victoria have been approved during the current session. Provision is made for the setting up of a Greater Victoria Water District to take over the waterworks system of the city and to permit the city to enter an agreement for the disposal of its city hall site to a group which intends to erect a big hotel and office building. The city hall deal is expected to provide funds for a new home of the civic government.

The Legislature also has provided for a new set-up for treatment of mentally ill persons which is described as an advance step, while the House before it prorogues will provide for substantial increases in the pensions and allowances for children of men killed in industrial accidents.

While well over 100 bills have been introduced so far there are still a couple more to be brought in, the volume of the bills dealt with and to be dealt with will probably be greater than in any recent year, although the number of measures passed may not total up to that of other recent years.

Returns Here After 6-Day Mine Search

H.M.C.M.L. 124, commanded by Lieut. A. F. Rowland, R.C.N., of Montreal, returned to her base in Esquimalt Friday afternoon, following a six-day mine-hunting operation which carried her around Vancouver Island, it was announced today by naval headquarters here.

M.L. 124 carried out a search for a floating mine off Quatsino Inlet and another north of Masterman Island in the Queen Charlotte Strait.

Both searches were without result.

Victoria Dancers Win Majority Of Festival Awards

When it comes to dancing, Victorians can prove they are hard to match.

Evidence of this was given when approximately 50 local dancers competed at the first B.C. Provincial Dance Festival sponsored by the Vancouver Civic Society. The festival, which ended last night, saw Victorians win the majority of awards.

Spectators who attended the three-day festival in Vancouver said folk dancing was the only entry which local dancers did not compete in.

Dancers who won awards were Jeanie Burns, Diane Tippitt, Nora Trimble, Jack Dixon, Frank Radwell, Ray Evenden, Beverly Carlow, Dora Easton, Marlen Pearce, Heather Duncan, Marilyn Ferguson, Marilyn McElmoyle, Beverly Luff, Patsy Sparks, Corinne Moore, Shirley Green, Marilyn Bassett, Brenda Lister, Sheila Hardie, Dona Easton, Sheila McDonald, Marlene Pearce, Helen Sapala, Lucy Tomczyk, Tommy Alexander, Judy Mason, Darlene Davey, Barbara Williams, Betty May King, Jacqueline Ivings, Betty Anne Craig and Valorie Parkin.

Many of the dancers participated in two or more classes. Three dancing teachers attended the festival: Wynne Shaw, Velda Wille and Florence Clough.

Less Unemployed In Victoria Now

March report of the city social welfare committee indicates the job situation in Victoria is improved.

Ald. Mrs. M. D. Christie, chairman, said today fewer requests for assistance were received in the month from employable persons without jobs.

During the month the department cared for 2,133 social assistance and welfare cases, she said. This meant each worker had 355 cases to look after.

"But that situation will be improved," Mrs. Christie reported.

Provision is made in 1948 estimates for another case worker, and the Provincial government also will provide another worker as well as a stenographer for the social office.

There were 160 applications for overall assistance during March and 32 for social assistance. Total social assistance cases now is 548. New application for old-age pensions numbered 53, making a total of 1,715, and 104 applications are pending. Thirty-four mothers' allowance cases were carried, with only one new application during the month.

Strict Control Of Woodyards Recommended To City Council

The city's woodyards will be under strict control shortly if City Council accepts recommendations of four department heads who have been studying the question and whose report was approved Friday by the public works committee.

The four officials are: A. J. Patton, solicitor; M. Kirkpatrick Crockett, lands commissioner; Fire Chief R. T. Brindle, and J. W. Oosterink, building inspector.

They recommended drafting of a by-law governing woodyard operators and requiring them to:

1. Build and maintain a fence around the yard and place no wood closer than six feet to the fence;
2. Construct and maintain approaches to the woodyard to the satisfaction of the city engineer;
3. Apply for a license to operate after approaches have been constructed;
4. Keep the woodyard in "reasonable tidy condition" at all times;
5. Place the name of the owner and license number in view on the fence.

Ald. Dr. J. D. Hunter, public works committee chairman, said woodyards have been operating without licenses while the study was being made and a time limit to obtain licenses under the proposed by-law would be set once it is passed by City Council.

He said that applications for licenses may be passed by the council after going through department heads.

The four-man committee said in its report that a suggestion that woodyards should obtain consent from all residents in the vicinity to operate "appears to be something no woodyard could obtain" and that "residential circumstances" should be left to the lands commissioner, fire chief and building inspector for report.

The week of May 2 to May 9 has been set by the Victoria S.P.C.A. as "Be Kind to Animals Week," it was announced today.

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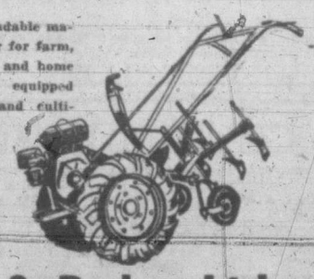
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A Lesson For Nations Today

By WILLIAM E. GILROY, D.D.

Some years ago I was a member of a council assembled to consider how a church in difficulties and in danger of closing could be put on its feet and helped to go on. It was not the first time that a church had faced such a crisis, and a question in the minds of some was whether help would really strengthen the church or prove futile.

The discussion was in a friendly spirit, and at one stage a member of the council told a story that seemed appropriate to the occasion. It concerned a successful man whose son proved a failure in everything he attempted. After his latest flop, a friend took the father to task. "I would think," he said, "that you would help your son, and put him on his feet."

"I would," replied the wealthy man, "and I've done it again and again, but every time I lift him up he squats."

I often recall this story as I study the history of Israel and the moral rise and fall of nations. For as surely as righteousness exalts a nation, unrighteousness and moral slackness lead to weakness and downfall.

THE GOLDEN CALF

The history of Israel is a history of moral rise and decline, of eras of glory and achievement followed by eras of strife and defeat, as the people turned from the ways of God to the ways of idolatry and social injustice.

The deliverance from Egypt and the noble leadership of Moses did not prevent the setting up and worship of the golden calf. That golden calf has remained in history as a symbol of the materialism that destroys spiritual values. The glory of the kingdom of David and Solomon did not prevent civil war and the disruption into two kingdoms and the ultimate fall of both.

The Exile of Babylon upon the fall of the Southern Kingdom taught the devout in Israel a lesson reflected in the prophecies of the Exile, and there are few finer stories in history than that of Nehemiah and his successful leadership of the exiles back into their homeland.

These conditions are reflected in the later prophecies of the Old Testament, in Hosea, and Micah, and Malachi, stressing in the words of Micah the reality of religion in doing justly, in loving mercy and in walking humbly with God (Micah 6:8).

And the lesson of it all for nations today is that moral laws and conditions of rise and fall are the same. Be not deceived; God is not mocked; for whatsoever a nation sows that shall it also reap.

Birthday Party—Members of Fourth West-Cathedral Guide Company celebrated the fourth birthday of the company this week and entertained in the form of a company birthday party. A Brownie flying-up ceremony opened the evening, when Muriel Smith of First Victoria Pack flew up to the company. Brownies from her pack were present to assist at the ceremony and she was welcomed in the guide company by Patrol Leader Phyllis French. During the evening games were played and refreshments served. Guests included Divisional Commissioner Mrs. F. W. Midgley, District Commissioner Miss L. Ryan, Mrs. C. Norman, badge secretary; Mrs. D. Abraham, Brown Owl; Mrs. E. Smith and guides from the James Bay Guide Company.

Turkey Supper—The new hall of Belmont Avenue United Church was filled last night for the Turkey Supper sponsored by the Official Board and prepared by the Ladies' Auxiliary. Among films shown by Mrs. Ross Palmer and C. West following the supper was "The Royal Wedding." Also on the program were solos by Miss G. Mahaffey and W. Spence, and selections on a musical saw by W. Du Russel Accompanists were Mrs. T. Bavin and F. Wright.

Bicycle Hike—Swallow Patrol, Fourth West-Cathedral Guides held a bicycle hike recently to Mount Dougles beach. During the afternoon, games were played, tracking signs laid and followed through the surrounding park and woodland. Patrol leader Marguerite Gardom was in charge and was accompanied by the following Guides: Diana Gardom, Flossy Dewhurst, Claire Stevenson and Company Leader, Doreen Carey.

ANGLICAN

ST. JOHN'S, COLWOOD—HOLY COMmunion, 8 a.m.; Sunday school, 9.45 a.m. Evensong, 7 p.m. ST. MATTHEW'S, LANGFORD—Morning prayer, 11 a.m. Sunday school, 9.45 a.m. Vicar, Rev. Hywel J. Jones.

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OAKLANDS GOSPEL HALL
(Cedar Hill Road at Hillside)

Sunday—
9.30 a.m.—Sunday school and Bible class
11.00 a.m.—The Lord's Supper
7.15 p.m.—Gospel meeting. Speaker, Mr. A. Edwin Gill, Evangelist from Portland, Oregon.
9:00 p.m.—Young people's meeting.

Tuesday—
8.00 p.m.—Special meeting with Mr. August Van Ryn, Bible teacher and evangelist from Miami, Fla.

Thursday—
8.00 p.m.—Another message from Mr. Van Ryn.

Friday—
7.00 p.m.—Teen Time.

VICTORIA GOSPEL HALL, 935 PANdora Avenue—11 a.m. Worship and Breaking of Bread; 3 p.m., Sunday school; 7.30 p.m., gospel service, speaker, Mr. Thomas Crawford with the Ambassador Male Quartette; 8 p.m., Tuesday, Bible study. See display advertisement.

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8.30 a.m.—Holy Communion
11 a.m.—Matins and Sermon
Preacher, Canon Michael Coleman
7 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon
Preacher, Rev. S. J. Wickens
SUNDAY SCHOOL
9.45 a.m. for Seniors
11 a.m. for Juniors, Primary and Preprimary
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10.30 a.m.—Holy Communion

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8 a.m.—Holy Communion
10 a.m.—Children's Church
11 a.m.—MATINS AND SERMON
REV. FREDERIC PIKE
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3.30 p.m.—Holy Baptism
7.30 p.m.—EVENSONG AND SERMON
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Corporate Communion, A.Y.P.A.
9.45 a.m.—Children's Church
11 a.m.—MATINS
Subject:
"DRAGONS STILL LIVE"
7.00 p.m.—EVENSONG
Subject:
"THE HEALING MINISTRY"

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11 a.m.—Church School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship: "A MODERN RELIGIOUS MIRACLE"
(50th Anniversary of Baptist Missions in Bolivia)
Choir, "O Master Let Me Walk With Thee"; soloists, Misses Heggie and Philips, Mrs. Duckworth.
7.30 p.m.—Evening Worship: "FOUR LESSONS FROM HISTORY"
Choir, "Fight the Good Fight"

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REV. A. McINTYRE, Pastor
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11.00 a.m.—"THE SECRET OF IMMORTAL YOUTH"
(Dedication of children during service.)
7.30 p.m.—"WHEN JESUS COMES!"
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Fernwood and Gladstone REV. W. L. McKAY, B.A., B.D., Pastor
11 a.m.—"OUR CHRISTIAN DAY OF REST"
Solo, Mrs. W. F. Holdridge.
7.30 p.m.—"FIFTY YEARS IN BOLIVIA"
Solo, James Matheson.
Sunday School—9.45 a.m. Primary—11 a.m.

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Organist and Choirmaster: Edgar Holloway, L.R.S.M., A.T.C.M.
11.00 a.m.—"ON KNOWING ONESELF"
Preacher, Dr. A. E. Whitehouse
Morning anthem, "O Praise God in His Holiness" (Wolff).
Solo, "Selected," Mr. Dudley Wickett.
7.30 P.M.
SHORT ADDRESS BY DR. A. E. WHITEHOUSE
CHORAL SERVICE by Metropolitan Choir
Selections: Anthem, "Sing a Song of Praise" (West).
Solo, "Evening Hymn" (Purcell), Miss Marion Inglis.
Solo, "The Tabernacle of God" (Mitchell), Mr. H. L. Harmsworth.
Anthem, "The Lost Chord" (Sullivan).
Anthem, "Christ in His Garden" (Tchaikowsky).
Anthem, "Comes at Times a Stillness" (Woodward).
9.45 a.m.—Church School; Intermediate and Senior.
11 a.m.—Church School; Juniors, Beginners, Primary, Nursery
We Welcome Strangers and Visitors
Church services on Daylight Saving Time

FIRST UNITED CHURCH
Corner QUADRA STREET and BALMORAL ROAD
REV. HUGH A. McLEOD, M.A., D.D., Minister
REV. F. W. ANDERSON, M.A., Visiting Minister
Choirmaster and Organist, Mr. Eric T. Hulatt
11.00 a.m.—"THE DAY OF REST"
Junior choir, "The Old Rugged Cross" (Weber); director, Vera Hulatt. Junior choir, "My Task" (Ashford); soloists, Jean Robertson and Barbara Main.
7.30 p.m.—"CONCERNING THE RIGHT"
Contralto solo, "Grant Us Thy Peace" (Hamblin), Miss Marion Mitchell. Anthem, "O Come, Ye Servants of the Lord" (Tye).
DR. HUGH A. McLEOD AT BOTH SERVICES

CENTENNIAL UNITED CHURCH
Gorge Road near Government St. Minister, REV. W. R. ASHFORD, B.A.
11 a.m.—Guest speaker, Rev. T. G. Griffiths; soloist, Mrs. A. H. Sheard. Anthem, "The King of Love" (Shelley).
7.30 p.m.—"SELF-IMPOSED PRISONS"; soloist, Mr. G. Guy. Anthem, "At Even Ere the Sun Was Set" (Turner).
10 a.m.—Bible Class 11 a.m.—Sunday School

Fairfield United Church
Five Points Pastor, REV. W. ALLAN
11 a.m.—"THE DAY OF REST AND GLADNESS"
Mr. and Mrs. A. Jackman to assist in the service of music.
7.30 p.m.—"WHICH OF THESE THREE WAS NEIGHBOR?"
Music under direction of Mrs. S. Darvill.
Visitors assured a cordial welcome. All Gonzales buses stop at church door.

Oak Bay United Church
Mitchell and Granite
Guest Preacher:
REV. DR. W. G. WILSON
11 a.m.—Public Worship
7.30 p.m.—Service of Sacred Music
Anthems and Solos
Soloists: Mrs. E. Stephenson, Dr. R. J. Manning, Miss P. and N. Fleming, M. and V. Trimble.

ROSS BAY GOSPEL HALL
Corner of JOSEPH and MAY STREETS
11.00 a.m.—Worship and Breaking of Bread
3.00 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class
7.30 p.m.—Gospel Service
SPEAKERS:
DR. A. E. HUNT of California
and
Mr. H. E. KESTER, also of California

ST. PAUL'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Corner of Mary and Henry—Take Esquimalt Bus
REV. ALEXANDER ORR, M.A., Minister
11 a.m.—"TO WHOM SHALL WE GO?"
7.30 p.m.—"PRAISE THE LORD!"
Organist, MR. C. DALLIMORE

Victoria Truth Centre
Church of the Healing Word
REV. EMMA M. SMILEY
HEAR HER PATTERN FOR JOYOUS LIVING
SUNDAY, APRIL 25
11 a.m.—"THE MAN WITH FOUR FACES"
7.30 p.m.—"THE POWER THAT IS"
TUESDAY, 3 p.m.—SPECIAL HEALING MEETING
WEDNESDAY, 8 p.m.
6 p.m.—"AULD LANG SYNE SUPPER" — ALL WELCOME
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Citadel Corps Major and Mrs. F. Howlett 700 Block Johnson St.
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8 p.m. Saturday—Praise Meeting: Corps Cadets in charge.
SUNDAY
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7.30 p.m.—Great Evangelistic Meeting
A Living Message — Songs That Bless — A Hearty Welcome to All

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7.30 p.m.—"THE SELF-MADE FOOL"
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PANDORA AVENUE J. B. ROWELL, Pastor
11 a.m.—"OUR GREAT HIGH PRIEST IN INTERCESSION"
7.30 p.m.—THE APPROACHING END OF THE AGE
CHRIST or ANTICHRIST?
CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATS vs. COMMUNISM
What Is "Christian Democracy"?
Italian Elections—What Are the Serious Implications?
A TIMELY BIBLICAL EXPOSITION

Turkey Association Sponsors Meetings

Vancouver Island Turkey Improvement Association is sponsoring a series of educational meetings at Courtenay, Nanaimo and Victoria during the week of April 26.

Purpose of these meetings is to give the poultrymen and especially the turkey growers an opportunity to become acquainted with the latest developments in marketing, production and disease control.

G. R. Wilson, district poultry products inspector of the Dominion department of agriculture will speak on grading, packing and marketing.

W. H. Pope, provincial poultry inspector, will show a film on the control of poultry diseases and speak on management and sanitation.

Meetings will be in Courtenay at the Agricultural Hall Tuesday at 8; in Nanaimo at the Legion Hall Wednesday, and in Victoria Thursday at the Dominion Hotel.

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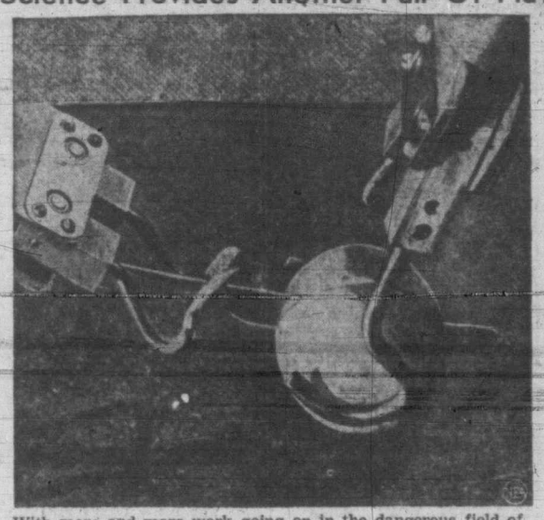

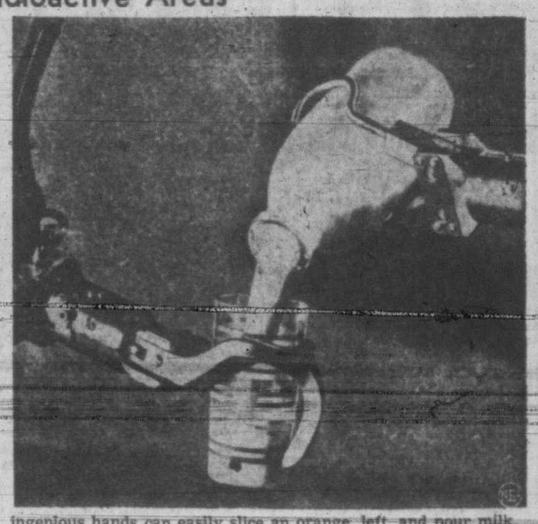

With more and more work going on in the dangerous field of radioactive research, American scientists have developed another pair of hands to aid them. These are mechanical hands, which can work on radioactive chemicals and elements which might injure human hands. Perfected by scientists of the General Electric Corporation, they are demonstrated, centre, at the 18th annual Safety Convention Exposition in New York, by the G-E Research Laboratory and the Atomic Energy Commission. The ingenious hands can easily slice an orange, left, and pour milk, right. They can perform delicate and dangerous experiments with the same ease.

Board Of Trade Banquet At Nanaimo

NANAIMO — Nanaimo as he first knew it, "a city of coal, saloons, Philpott's Cafe and Mark Bate," was described in a colorful address by Bruce A. McKelvie to the Nanaimo Board of Trade 60th installation banquet in the Plaza Hotel Thursday night.

George Benwell, president, introduced representatives from island Boards of Trade and read telegrams from Maj.-Gen. G. R. Pearkes, V.C., M.P., president of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce and others.

Mayor George Muir coupling civic greetings with an invitation to attend a meeting next week on the question of subversive elements in Nanaimo, addressed the banquet. Among other speakers was George Baillie, vice-president of the Western Division, C.P.R.

Reserve Forces Activities

H.M.C.S. Malahat — Monday 2010 hours. Duty Officer—Lieut. R. Oakley; Duty Supply Officer—Lieut. Jobson; Duty Quartermaster—A.B. Winters; Dress for Officers—No. 5's; Dress for Men—No. 2's or 3's; Training—films and lectures.

5th (B.C.) H.A.A. Regiment R.C.A. — Tuesday, Apr. 27—1945 hours. Training parade. Dress: Battle dress. Wednesday, Apr. 28—Rifle Ass'n. Shoot at Heal's Range. Friday, Apr. 30—1930 hours. Cadet Corps training. Saturday, May 1—1330 hours. Rifle Shoot—Heal's range. Transportation from Armories.

Canadian Scottish Regiment—Monday, Apr. 26—1930 hours. Training parade. Dress: Battle dress. Rehearsal for N.C.O.'s graduation ceremonies. Wednesday, Apr. 28—Rifle Ass'n. Shoot at Heal's Range. Thursday, Apr. 29—1930 hours. Sports parade. N.C.O.'s rehearsal for graduation.

58th L.A.A. Workshop, R.C.E. M.E.—Tues., Apr. 27—1945 hours. Parade. Dress: Roll call order. Wednesday, Apr. 28—2000 hours. Miniature range shoot.

59th L.A.A. Workshop, R.C.E. M.E.—Tues., Apr. 27—1945 hours. Dress: Roll call order. Wednesday, Apr. 28—2000 hours. Miniature range shoot. Friday, Apr. 30—2000 hours. Sergeants' Mess meeting.

No. 5 Area Signals Squadron—Monday, Apr. 26—1945 hours. Parade at School of Artillery building, Work Point Barracks. Dress: Battle dress.

13th Field Ambul. R.C.A.M.C.—Tuesday, Apr. 27—2000 hours. Training parade. Dress: Roll call order.

46th Field San. Sect. R.C.A.M.C.—Apr. 27—2000 hours. Training parade. Dress: Roll call order.

YOUNG LIBERAL PRESIDENT—Vernon Singer, Toronto lawyer, who was elected president of the Ontario Young Liberals' Association this week. He succeeds A. J. C. O'Mara. Other officers elected are Lyle Browning of Windsor, Ont., secretary, and Joan Star, Toronto, treasurer.

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Announcements

BIRTHS

LOUDOUN—To Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Loudoun, a son, Robert William, at Royal Jubilee Hospital on April 22, 1948.

MACKENZIE—Carol and Ralph Mackenzie (nee Carter), Langford, announce the arrival of their son, Murray Douglas, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, April 3, 1948.

MEYERS—On April 23, in Montreal, to Desiree, wife of Stanley James Meyers, a daughter.

MARRIAGES

LINTAMAN-STOKES — Mr. and Mrs. George Stokes, 3631 Elliston Avenue, announce the marriage of their eldest daughter, Gloria June, to James Gordon Lintaman, second son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Lintaman of Dartmouth, N.S., which took place in the vestry of First United Church at 8 p.m., April 21, 1948, with Rev. H. A. McLeod officiating.

DEATHS

ROBINSON—On April 23, 1948, at the residence, John William Robinson, aged 74 years, beloved husband of Annie Robinson of Gordon Street, Cordova Bay. He was born in Ontario, and had resided in Creston, B.C., for 27 years prior to coming to Victoria two years ago. The late Mr. Robinson leaves to mourn his loss, besides his loving wife; four sons, Francis Gilbert of Lacombe, Alberta, Clarence Homer of Regina, Sask., Louie Alexander of The Pas, Manitoba, and Percy Raymond of Creston, B.C.
Announcement of funeral will be made later by McCall Bros., Funeral Directors. (No flowers, by request.)
(Creston, B.C. Review, please copy.)

ROWBOTHAM—On April 23, 1948, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Florence Rowbotham, aged 63 years, beloved wife of William Rowbotham of 2946 Dean Avenue. She was born in England, and had resided in Victoria for the past 37 years. The late Mrs. Rowbotham leaves to mourn her loss, besides her husband; four sons, John and Frank of Victoria; Ted of Montreal, and Arthur of Vancouver, B.C., and three grandchildren; also two sisters and one brother in England.
Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, April 27, 1948, at 3 p.m. in McCall Bros.' Floral Funeral Chapel. Rev. O. L. Jull will officiate, after which interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

SKINNER—On April 23, 1948, at the Veterans' Hospital, Joseph Winstanley Skinner, aged 72 years, beloved husband of Elizabeth Skinner of 356 Moss Street. He was born in England, and had resided in Dauphin, Manitoba for 36 years prior to coming to Victoria four years ago. The late Mr. Skinner leaves to mourn his loss, besides his loving wife; one son, Arthur of 2426 Oregon Avenue, and one daughter, Mrs. Harry (Louise) Poole, at home, and grandchildren; also two brothers, Jesse of St. Paul, Ontario, and Bill, in London, Ontario, and four sisters, Mrs. J. Hill, in Burnaby; Mrs. J. Leslie, in Port Huron, Mich.; Mrs. Ted Yearnsley, and Mrs. W. Goldner, both in Stratford, Ont. He was a life member of Royal Arch Chapter of Manitoba, and a life member of Vermillion Lodge No. 68 of Dauphin, Man. He was an elder of Fairfield United Church, and a veteran of the First Great War.
Funeral services will be held in McCall Bros.' Floral Funeral Chapel on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. William Allan assisted by Rev. T. G. McAllister officiating. Interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.
(Dauphin and Winnipeg, Man., and Stratford, Ont., papers, please copy.)

FUNERAL

HUGHES—A large congregation attended the funeral of John Hughes, held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Tuesday, April 20, 1948, Rev. K. L. Sandercock, rector of St. Matthias Church, conducted the service, assisted by Mr. C. Holt, president of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, Victoria Aerie No. 12. The congregational hymns were "There is a Green Hill Far Away," and "Abide With Me;" Mr. E. Holloway at the organ. Also present were delegates from the Women's Auxiliary of the F.O.E. The following were the pallbearers—E. P. Burch, C. Hogan, G. Ree, N. Robertson of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, and A. Hampton and S. Martin, of the New Method Laundries Ltd. The remains were laid at rest in Colwood Burial Park.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to extend my sincere thanks and appreciation for the kindly messages of sympathy received from our friends and neighbors, during my recent bereavement in the loss of my beloved husband, Mr. R. W. Rowe. Grateful thanks to the Pro Patria Branch of the Canadian Legion, also the Women's Auxiliary to the Pro Patria Branch, the staff of the Esquimalt Drydock. Special thanks to Canon Greenhalgh for his consoling words. (Mrs.) Ada M. Rowe, 2809 Rockwell Avenue.

CARD OF THANKS

The widow and family of John Hughes wish to express their sincere thanks to all friends and neighbors for the kind expressions of sympathy shown them during their recent sad bereavement. Thanks to Dr. A. D. Bechtel, Miss Morriss, R.N., and the management and staff of the New Method Laundries and the Fraternal Order of Eagles, for their kind attention.

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Tonight

5.30—Folk Tunes—KOMO. Communism and Modern World—KJR. Charles Collingwood—KIRO. Sports This Week—CBR. Sports News—CJOR. 900 Club—CJVI. Red Ryder—CKWX. True or False—KVI. 5.45: Music Unlimited—CJOR.

6.00—To You Tonight—KJR. Here's to Veterans—KOMO. Dear—KIRO. News; Weather—CKWX, KVI, CBR. Salon Orchestra—CJVI. Music Unlimited—CJOR. 6.15: Chicago Theatre—KVI.

6.30—Teen Talent Quest—CJVI. Padded Cell—KIRO. Murder and Mr. Malone—KJR. Music Unlimited—CJOR. Serenade in Rhythm—CBR. Judy Canova—KOMO. Chicago Theatre—KVI.

7.00—Kay Kyser—KOMO. Sat. Night Serenade—KIRO. Serenade—KJR. Take a Number—KVI. Pattern for Prosperity—CJVI. News; Sports—CKWX. Cuckoo Clock House—CJOR. Northern Lights—CBR.

7.30—Grand Old Opry—KOMO. First Nighter—KIRO. Detective Ross Dolan—KJR. All Star Theatre—KVI. United Church—CKWX. Spotlight Review—CJOR, CJVI.

8.00—Life of Riley—KOMO. Lone Ranger—KJR. News—CJOR, CKWX. This Week—CBR. People Next Door—KIRO. The Falcon—KVI. Communism vs Freedom—CJVI. 8.15: Canadian Club—CJVI.

8.30—Life of Riley—CBR. It's a Great Life—KIRO. Challenge of the Yukon—KJR. Truth or Consequences—KOMO. Canadian Club—CJVI. Henry King's Orchestra—CJOR. Western Theatre—CKWX. Hawaii Calls—KVI.

9.00—Your Hit Parade—KOMO. Abe Burrows—KIRO. Gang Busters—KJR. Share the Wealth—CBR. Glenn Hardy—KVI. Town Meeting—CJOR. All Star Dance—CJVI. Great Talent Search—CKWX. 9.15: Hoagy Carmichael—KIRO.

9.30—News—KJR. Music From Hollywood—KOMO. Chamber Music—CBR. Vaughn Monroe—KIRO. Felix Ganio—KVI. Town Meeting—CJOR. Mysterious Traveler—CKWX. Sammy Kaye—CJVI.

10.00—Classic Hour—KJR. News—CBR, CJOR, CKWX, KIRO, KOMO. Dance Orchestra—KVI. Boston Pops—CJVI.

10.30—Orchestra—KIRO. Navy Band—KOMO. Classic Hour—KJR. White Rose Ballroom—CJOR. Charlie Spivak—CBR. News—CJVI. Dance Orchestra—KVI. At Close of Day—CKWX.

11.00—News—KOMO, CJOR. Dance Party—CJVI. Weather; Concert Hour—KIRO. News; Orchestra—KJR. When Day is Done—KVI. Orchestra—CBR. News and Doghouse—CKWX. 11.30 — Ballroom Orch—CBR.

Tomorrow

11.00—CBS Is There—KIRO. Around the World—KJR. Eddy Howard—KOMO. Church—CJVI. Metropolitan Tabernacle—CJOR. News; Capital Reports—CBR. News Church Service—CKWX. Charlie's House—KVI.

11.30—Metropolitan Tabernacle—CJOR. One Man's Family—KOMO. Speak Up—KIRO. Science Headlines—KJR. Religious Period—CBR. Church—CJVI. United Church Service—CKWX. Juvenile Jury—KVI.

12.00—Quiz Kids—KOMO. Lassie—KJR. Metropolitan Tabernacle—CJOR. News—CKWX. Symphony—KIRO, CBR. Church—CJVI. Mystery House—KVI.

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3.00—Jack Benny plays host to Frank Sinatra and Dorothy Kirsten—KOMO.

4.00—Ethel Barrymore makes guest appearance on Charlie McCarthy show—KOMO.

4.30—Leo Durocher visits Fred Allen show—KOMO.

6.00—Joan Davis welcomes Harry Von Zell to program—KIRO.

7.00—Don Taylor is heard in "Turnabout" when Adolph Menjou introduces him on Star Preview—KOMO.

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1.30—Ford Theatre—KOMO. Church of the Air—CBR. Reading the Funnies—CJVI. Eileen Farrell—KIRO. Bible Institute—CJOR. Metropolitan Auditions—KJR. Quick as a Flash—KVI. Juvenile Jury—CKWX.

2.00—Ford Theatre—CJOR. News; KIRO. Music Professor—KJR. Max Hollander—CJVI. By the Sea—CBR.

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2.30—Tone Portraits—KOMO. Hour of Charm—KIRO. Little Concert—CJVI. Counterspy—KJR. News—CBR. Music Hall of Fame—CKWX. Nick Carter—KVI. Ford Theatre—CJOR.

3.00—God's Country—KJR. Jack Benny—KOMO. Family Hour—KIRO. Mormon Choir—CJVI. Alan and Me—CBR. Foursquare—CJOR. Sherlock Holmes—KVI. News—CKWX.

3.30—Phil Harris—KOMO. Greatest Story—KJR. Weather; V.O.N.—CBR. Pause That Refreshes—KIRO, CJOR, CJVI. Sammy Kaye Serenade—CKWX. R.F.D. America—KVI.

4.00—Gene Autry—KIRO. Music of Manhattan—CJOR. On Trial—KJR. Charlie McCarthy—KOMO. Allan Roth—CJVI. World's Great Books—KVI. News and Salvation Army Hour—CKWX. Songs from the Movies—CBR.

4.30—Suspense—KIRO. Fred Allen—KOMO. Music for Sunday—CJVI. Jimmy Fidler—KVI. Concert Hall—CBR. Speaking of Books—KJR. Keep Up with the Kids—CKWX. Gospel Messengers—CJOR.

5.00—Charlie McCarthy Show—CBR. Manhattan Merry-Go-Round—KOMO. News and Reverie—CKWX. Suspense—KIRO. Stop the Music—KJR. News—CJOR. Parliament Hill—CJVI. Meet Me at Parky's—KVI. 5.15: Food for Fed-up—CJVI.

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6.00—Record Album—CJVI. Walter Winchell—KJR. News—CBR. This Week's Music—CJOR. Joan Davis—KIRO. Take It or Leave It—KOMO. Gabriel Heatter—KVI. News; Weather—CKWX. 6.15: Louella Parsons—KJR.

6.30—Star Theatre—CJVI. Shorty Bell—KIRO. Theatre Guild—KJR. Ray Bloch—CJVI. Theatre Guild—CJVI. Stop Me if You've Heard This—KVI. Meet Me at Parky's—CKWX. This Week's Music—CJOR. Horace Heidt—KOMO.

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7.30—Jimmie Fidler—KJR. Stage 48—CBR. Christ Church Cathedral—CJOR. Latin-American Serenade—CJVI. Standard Symphony—KOMO. Strike It Rich—KIRO. Reflections in Melody—CKWX. Walter Winchell—KVI.

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9.00—Living 1948—KOMO. Sam Spade—KIRO. We Care—KJR. Bach Festival—CBR. Revival Hour—KVI. News: CJOR, CKWX. Reflections in Music—CJVI.

9.30—Favorite Hymns—CJVI. Catholic Hour—KOMO. Band of the Week—CJOR. Corliss Archer—KIRO. News; KJR. Waltz Serenade—CKWX. Bach Festival—CBR.

10.00—News—CJOR, CBR, CKWX, KIRO, KOMO. Classic Hour—KJR. Ralph Pashley—CJVI. 10.15: Remember When—CJOR. 10.15: Canadian Short Stories—CBR.

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$7600—ULTRA-MODERN Cedar-shake Bungalow, on excellent lot, close to schools, transportation and stores. Entrance hall, large living-room with coved ceilings, hardwood floors and attractive fireplace. Two lovely bedrooms with full clothes closets, 4-piece bathroom with Tiletex floors. Spacious cabinet kitchen piped for gas. Corner windows in attached breakfast nook. Separate utility room with TUBS. HOT-AIR PIPED TO ALL ROOMS. AIR - CONDITIONED THROUGHOUT. SEPARATE GARAGE. For further particulars, please call Mr. Thorneloe, G8175 (eves., G6337).

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(Section 28)

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10 utilities	75.50, up	.80
30 combined	110.50, up	1.20
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Atlas Steel	11½	11¾
Abitibi com.	16¾	16¾
Do pfd.	20	20¼
Algoma Steel	55½	56
Aluminum pfd.	24½	25¾
Asbestos Corp.	26	26¼
Bathurst A	26	26¼
Bell Telephone	165	165½
Brazilian Tract.	19¾	19¾
Br. Amer. Oil	24¼	24½
B.C. Power A	26½	27
Building Prod.	22	27
Bruck Mills	24	27
Bulolo Gold	15½	16½
Can. and Dom. Sugar	17½	18
Can. Malting	19	20¼
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Can. Steamships com.	13	13¾
Do pfd.	39½	
Can. Cement	19	19½
Can. Breweries	20¾	21
Can. Bronze com.		40
Can. Car and Foundry com.	12½	12¾
Can. Celanese	75½	76
Can. Dredge and Dock	19	20¼
Can. Indus. Alcohol	12½	13¾
Can. Locomotive	25	25¼
Canadian Pacific Railway	18¼	18¼
Can. Vickers com.	21½	26
Cockshutt Plow	11½	12
Comm. Alcohol	4	4¼
Cons. Paper	19½	19¾
Consumers Glass	35	36
Crown Cork and Seal	36	37
Distillers Seag.	20¾	20¾
Dom. Bridge	30	32
Dom. Engineering	41	
Dom. Foundry and Steel	26½	26¾
Dom. Oilcloth and Lin.	38¼	38½
Dom. Woolens	12	12¾
Dom. Steel and Coal B	16¾	17
Dom. Stores	24¾	25
Dom. Tar and Chem.	25	26
Dom. Textile	12¾	13
Donna. Paper	22½	22¾
Dryden Paper	26	27½
Eddy Paper	17¾	17½
Fairchild Aircraft	95	125
Fanny Farmer	44	45
Fleet Aircraft	2¾	2½
Ford of Can. A	26	26½
Foundation Co.	21½	22½
Fraser Co. T.	54¼	55
Gatineau Power	18½	19½
Gen. Steel Wares	15¼	16
Gypsum Lime	14¾	15
Hamilton Bridge	7¾	8
Howard Smith	32½	33
Imperial Oil	16½	16¾
Imperial Tobacco	14	14¼
Indus. Accept.	38	38½
Int. Bronze Pwdr.	10½	11¾
Int. Nickel	34¾	35
Int. Paper	60	60½
Intl. Pete.	13¾	13½
Jamaica P.S.	13	
Lake of Woods	28	30
Lowney, Walter M.	12	13¾
Maple Leaf com.	17¼	
Massey Harris com.		19¼
Do pfd.	28¾	29
McColl Front. com.	13¾	13¾
Minn. and Ont. Paper	25	25¼
Mitchell, Robt.	20½	21
Molsons Brew.	35	
Moore Corp.		75
National Brew.	41	
National Drug	10¾	10¾
Nat. Steel Car	23¼	23½
Ogilvie Flour	26	26½
Page Hersey	23½	34
Penmans Ltd.	63½	66
Powell River	40¼	40½
Power Corp.	15¼	15½
Price Bros.	60¾	61¾
Quebec Power	16	16½
St. Law. Corp. pfd.	40	45
St. Law. Paper pfd.	126	128
Sicks' Breweries	14¾	15¼
Southam Co.	19	20
South Can. Pwr.	14	16½
Standard Chem.	7¼	7½
Steel of Can.	78	79
Taylor P. & C. com.	4½	5
Do pfd.	9¾	10
United Steel	7½	7¾
Walker Gooderham com.	29	29¼
Westeel Prod.	29¼	30
Winnipeg Electric com.	25	25¼

Grain

WINNIPEG (CP)—A late rally on the Chicago Grain Market today reflected in coarse grain trading on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange and prices recovered following early losses. Demand expanded and offerings dried up in response to the Chicago upturn.

Rye futures prices also recovered from early losses of as much as 10 cents. Commission house buying and light offerings in late trading contributed to the upward trend at the close.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Rye—				
May	420-2	423	420-2	429
July	354-6	361-6	354-6	361-3
October	194	198	194	198
Barley—				
May	116-6	117-7	116-5	117-6
July	111-3	112-3	111-3	112-3
October	103-1	103-3	103-1	103-3
Oats—				
May	88-3	89-6	88-3	89-6
July	8-3	82-7	81-3	82-7
October	77	77	76-7	76-7

Cash Grain Close
Oats—No. 2 cw. 92-6, track 85-6.
Barley—No. 3 cw. 135-6, track 114-6.
Rye—No. 2 cw. 439, track 432.

CHICAGO (AP) — After running into more selling during early dealings, grains staged a small-scale recovery today. Wheat was down a couple of cents at one time on a continuation of the liquidation of the last few days. However, the selling soon dried up.

Corn and oats were steady.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	240-4	241-2	238-3	241
July	229-6	232	228-2	231-6
September	226-4	230-2	226	229-6
December	226	230-2	226	229-4
Corn—				
May	215-6	219	214-6	217
July	205-2	207-7	204	206-4
September	189	191	188	189-6
December	168	169-1	166-6	167-6
Oats—				
May	108-4	110	108-1	109-2
July	91-6	92-5	91-2	91-7
September	84	85-1	84	84-3
December	84-4	85-1	84-1	84-6

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Lively Market Closes Cautiously

NEW YORK (AP)—The liveliest week in the stock market in 19 months closed today on a note of caution.

Profit-taking sales interrupted at least temporarily the spring rally that has extended through six successive weeks.

Normal reluctance to take positions in advance of the week-end, plus concern over wage negotiations in some industries, were reported by brokers to have contributed to the day's trading trend.

Canadian issues moved narrowly. Canadian Pacific advanced ⅛. Distillers Seagram yielded ¼. Dome Mines and Hiram Walker were unchanged.

Dow Jones closing averages:

30 industrials	183.29, off	.58
20 rails	58.27, up	.10
15 utilities	54.08, up	.03
65 stocks	67.58, off	.08

Total sales, 850,000.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Closing Bid
American Can	86-7
American Tobacco B	58
American Smelter	59-2
American Tel. and Tel.	154-1
American Woolen	48
Anaconda Copper	38-5
Atchison Topeka	105-7
B. and O. Railway	13-6
Bethlehem Steel	35-4
C.P.R.	15-5
C. and O. Railway	41-6
Chrysler	60-6
Cons. Edison	23
Com. and Southern	2-7
Curtiss Wright	4
Du Pont	174-6
Eastman Kodak	43-3
Erie R.R.	14-2
General Foods	38-5
General Electric	36-1
General Motors	56-4
Goodyear	43-6
Great Northern pfd.	42-5
Int. Harvester	85-6
Int. Paper	56-6
Int. T. and T.	13-6
Int. Nickel	29-5
Johns-Manville	37-4
Kennecott Copper	56-2
Lorillard	20-3
Loews Theatre	19-2
Montgomery Ward	58-5
National Biscuit	27-5
New York Central	16-6
Norfolk Western	59-3
Northern Pacific	21-5
Pac. Gas Electric	33-3
Pan American Airways	9-3
Penn. Railway	26-4
Pepsi Cola	11-4
Pub. Svg., N.J.	23
Radio	10-5
Republic Steel	28-3
Schenley Distillers	22
Standard Calif.	67-2
Standard Oil N.J.	41-4
Sears Roebuck	37-3
Sinclair Oil	21-4
Socony	18-5
Southern Pacific	35-4
Sou. Calif. Edison	26-7
Southern Railway	45-2
Texas Corp.	60-5
Union Carbide	115-4
United Aircraft	28
U.S. Rubber	44-4
U.S. Steel	71-2
Hiram Walker G. and W.	25
Westinghouse Electric	26-2
Woolworth	7-2

C.P.R. Leads Active Industrials

TORONTO (CP)—Prices today continued firm with leading stocks in all groups making moderate advances while listings generally traded on a broad front in brisk action on the Toronto Stock Exchange. Profit-cashing was evident but was taken in stride and the upward move maintained.

C.P.R. led the active among the industrials to trade on a fractional gain while Sherritt headed the base metals on an advance ranging to 35 cents.

Better base metals were Coastal Copper, Sherritt, Waite Amulet, Noranda, New Calumet, Macdonald, Labrador, Golden Manitou and Eureka.

Toronto closing index:

20 industrials	178.79, off	.82
20 golds	91.23, up	.45
10 base metals	97.90, up	1.32
15 western oils	41.96, up	.29

Total sales, 687,000.

(By A. E. Ames & Co.)

	Bid	Ask
Aluminum Ltd.	24	24½
Alum. Co. of Can. 4% pfd.	34¾	35
Ashdown Hardware A	13¼	13½
Beatty Bros. com.	39½	40
Bell Telephone	165	165½
Brazilian T.L. & P.	19¼	19¾
B.A. Oil	24	24¾
B.A. Oil pfd.	25¼	25½
B.C. Electric Co. pfd.	91	91
B.C. Power A	26½	27
Bruck Silk Mills	25	27
Building Products	32	32½
Burlington Steel		13½
Canada & Dominion Sugar	17¼	17¾
Canada Steamship Lines pfd.	39½	40¼
Canadian Breweries	20¾	21
Canadian Industries Ltd.	22½	22¾
Canadian Pacific Railway	18¼	18¼
Cons. Mining & Smelting	108½	109¾
Cons. Paper Corp.	19½	19¾
Cosmos Imperial Mills	26¾	27
Distillers Seagram com.	20¾	20¾
Dominion Bridge	31¾	32½
Ford A of Canada	26¼	26½
Imperial Oil	16½	16¾
Imperial Tobacco	14	14¼
Imperial Tobacco 4% pfd.	24¾	25
Inter. Metal Ind. 4½% pfd.	99½	100
Inter. Metal Class A	29¼	30
International Nickel	34¾	35
International Petroleum	13¾	13½
Lodlaw A	28¼	28¾
McColl-Frontenac 4% pfd.	92	96
Do. common	13¾	13¾
Montreal Locomotive Works	16¼	16¾
Monarch Knitting Co. Ltd.	14	14½
National Hosiery A	11	12
National Steel Car	23¼	23½
Page Hersey Tubes	33¾	33¾
Powell River Co.	40¼	40½
Russell Ind. Ltd.	16¾	16½
Shawinigan W. & P.	21¾	21¾
Sheas' Breweries	10½	11
Sicks Breweries Ltd.	14¾	15¼
Simpson's Ltd. A	25½	26¼
Do. B	22½	28½
Southam Co. com.	18¾	19¼
Steel of Canada pfd.	79	80½
Steel of Canada	77¼	79
Union Gas	9¼	9¾
United Fuel A pfd.	47	48
Walker G. & W.	28¾	29¾

(By Hagar Investments Ltd.)

	Bid	Ask
Akaitcho	.75	.80
Amalg. Larder	.21	.22
Astoria Rouyn	.08	.08½
Aunor	3.35	3.40
Aumaque	.17	.18
Aubelle	.08½	.09¾
Bear Exploration	.31	.32
Beatty	.65	.67
Beaulieu	.10½	.11
Bevcourt	.35	.40
Bidgood Kirk	.17½	.20
Bobjo	.14	.16
Bralorne	7.85	8.00
Broulan	.28	.30
Buff Addison	.68	.70
Buff. Ank.	1.75	1.79
Campbell R.L.	2.26	2.40
Castle Trethewey	1.26	1.30
Cdn Malartic	.71	.77
C. and E. Corp.	5.95	6.00
Central Pat.	1.23	1.25
Chesterville	2.27	2.30
Cochenour Willans	1.86	1.88
Coin Lake	.18	.19
Colomac	.05	.06½
Conwest	1.10	1.15
Cons. Smelters	1.08½	1.09¾
Croinor	.60	.75
Crowshore	.15½	.17
Dickenson R.L.	.60	.61
Dome Mines	20.00	20.25
Donalda	.72	.75
Duquesne	.40	.41
East Malartic	1.60	1.70
East Sullivan	2.40	2.44
Elder	.51½	.52
Eldona	.81	.89
Falconbridge	4.40	4.45
Francoeur	.09	.09¾
Frobisher	1.88	1.90
Giant Y.K.	4.05	4.10
Gods Lake	.82	.84
Goldcrest	.10½	.15
Golden Gate	.09	.09½
Golden Man.	2.63	2.64
Harricana	.60½	.67
Hardrock	.16	.16½
Hasaga	.74	.78
Heva Cad.	.10¾	.11
Hollinger	9.60	9.75
Hosco	.31½	.32
Howey	.20	.23
Hudson May Mining	49.75	51.00
Indian Lake	.05	.05½
Inspiration	.40	.50
Int. Uranium	.69	.72
Jason	.15	.15½
Joliet Quebec	.33	.34
Kerr Addison	13.50	13.75
Kirk. Lake	1.46	1.50
Labrador	5.40	5.45
Lake Duf.	.70	.72
Lake Shore	12.00	12.75
Lamaque	5.30	5.95
Leitch Gold	1.14	1.15
Little L.L.	1.02	1.05
Lingman Lake	.35	.38
Louvricourt	.60	.61
Lynx	.08	.09
Madsen R.L.	2.55	2.15
Macassa	2.55	1.67
Marcus	.11	.12
Malartic G.F.	1.68	1.70
McDonald	1.16	1.17
McIntyre	60.50	62.00
McKenzie R.L.	.53	.54
McLeod Cockshutt	1.05	1.09
Moneta	.28	.30
Negus	2.09	2.10
Nipissing	1.06	1.20
Normetal	2.12	2.13
Northern Can.	.36	.40
Noranda	49.75	50.00
Okalta	1.63	1.64
O'Brien	1.68	1.73
Orlac	.11	.12
Osisko Lake	.67	.68
Orama Roc.	.78	.80
Pamour Porc.	1.15	1.18
Paymaster	.38½	.40
Perron	.75	.85
Pickle Crow	2.05	2.18
Powell Rouyn	.65	.65
Preston	1.63	1.80
Regcourt	.04	.05½
San Antonio	3.95	4.00
Senator	.41	.45
Sheep Creek		1.08
Sherritt Gordon	2.70	2.75
Sigma	7.55	7.80
Siscoe	.48	.50
Sladen Mal.	.31	.35
Steep Rock	2.01	2.03
Sullivan	1.30	1.40
Sylvanite	1.51	1.60
Teck Hughes	2.65	2.70
Tuburn	.60	.64
Trans. Cont. Res.	.40	.45
Upper Canada	1.73	1.78
Ventures	6.15	6.30
Waite Amulet	6.60	6.65
Wright Hargreaves	2.45	2.50
Lake Wasa	.41	.48

Vancouver Stocks

(By Hagar Investments Ltd.)

	Bid	Ask
Anaconda	13¼	14
Anglo-Canadian	235	240
A.P. Con.	20	25
C. and E. Corp.	600	610
Calmont	55	56
Calmont Leduc	21	
Commoil	34	
Commonwealth	51	56
Dalhousie		50
Foothills	290	
Highwood Sarcee		11
Home Oil	785	800
Leduc West	88½	
Mercury	13	14
McDougall Segur	10	11
Model	23	29
National Pete	21½	
Okalta	107	109
Globe	72½	
Pacific Pete	104	107
Royal Canadian	10½	11
Vanalta	15	
Vulcan	23	29
Sunset	8½	
Superior	28	30
MINES—		
Bayonne Cons.	5	
Bralorne	775	795
Bridge River Con.	2¾	
BRK Mines	7	8
Canada Carbon	14½	
Caribou Gold	142	145
Congress	2¾	
George Copper		15
Grandview	34	30
Grull Wihksne		5
Hedley Mascot	55	60
Highland Bell	16½	
Island Mountain	102	
Minto		3
Pacific Nickel	7½	
Pend Oreille	430	435
Pioneer Gold	265	275
Premier Border	4	4½
Privatter	18	20
Quatsino Copper	8¼	9
Reeves McDonald	180	
Reno Gold	8½	
Salmon Gold	16½	
Sheep Creek	105	106
Silver Premier	33	
Silver Ridge	15	18
Taylor Bridge	30	40
Utica	10½	
Wellington	3¾	5
INDUSTRIALS—		
B.C. Forest Products	3¾	4
B.C. Turf	65	
Cdn. West Lbr.	4½	4¾
Capital Estates	9¾	9½
Coast Breweries	315	
H. R. MacMillan A	6½	
Do. B	6¾	7½
Pacific Coyle	60	
Powell River	40	41
Westminster Paper	18½	

Total sales 43,165

2 Special Buses To Portland Rose Show

Two special buses will leave Seattle for the Portland Rose Festival, arranged by George Willis, Western Canada Travel Service, agents for West Coast Trailways.

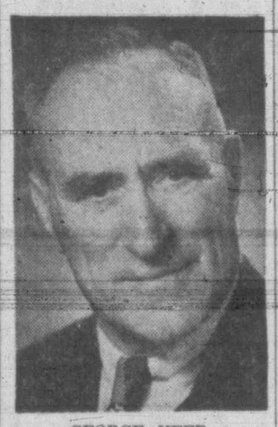
(1) Leave Victoria the afternoon of June 7, overnight stay at the Moore, Frye or Ben Franklin Hotels, Seattle. Leave Seattle 8.30 a.m., June 8, arriving at Multnomah Hotel (where parade passes door), Portland, 2.30 p.m.

(2) Leave Victoria afternoon boat of June 8. Leave Seattle 12.59 midnight. Arrive Portland 6.30 a.m., June 9, at Congress Hotel, next door to Trailway Bus depot.

We have [illegible] rooms reserved at Portland and 15 rooms at Seattle. Please make call at our office as soon as possible. We can arrange an all-expense trip if desired.

Portland Rose Festival is from June 9 to 13, beginning with the parade on June 9. ***

C.N.R. Policeman Promoted In B.C.



GEORGE KEEP

Starting as a constable with the Canadian National Railways more than 28 years ago, George Keep has now been appointed inspector of investigation for the National system in B.C., with headquarters in Vancouver, it was announced today.

For the past three years, Mr. Keep has been special agent at Edmonton. Between 1920 and 1924, he served in the C.N.R. police department as constable at Winnipeg and Calgary. He became special agent in 1924 at Edson, Alta., subsequently working in the same capacity at Edmonton, Prince George, Kamloops and, again in Edmonton.

Born in England, Mr. Keep came to Canada as a boy and after some experience as a railway machinist's helper in Montreal, was in the insurance business. World War I changed his career and he went overseas with the 1st Division, returning to Canada in 1919.

First B.C. Vessel To Visit Russia

When the Lake Sicamous, due to leave the B.C. coast next week for New Zealand, where she will load wool, arrives in Odessa, Russia, she will be the first Vancouver ship in many years to take a commercial cargo to Russia.

One or two Vancouver freighters went to Russian ports last year, but they delivered relief cargoes.

Capt. Williams On Way Back To City

Capt. O. J. Williams, manager of the Canadian Pacific's B.C. Coast Service, will reach Montreal Wednesday night aboard the C.P.R. liner Empress of Canada, according to a dispatch from Montreal.

Capt. Williams has been in the United Kingdom on an inspection tour of the two new coast passenger vessels being built there by the C.P.R. and the B.C.C.S.

The Empress of Canada, now heading for Montreal, will open the St. Lawrence route for the 1948 season so far as passenger liners are concerned. She will dock with a capacity passenger list of 700.

One Woman's Day

By NANCY HODGES

SIGNS OF THE TIMES

IF THIS COLUMN is even more rambling than usual, I hope my readers will forgive me. But it isn't conducive to reasoned or logical thinking when you sit day after day, far, far into the night, trying to grapple with problems of state.

And in the intervals between sessions there isn't much time for anything but meals and mail—and not always very much for that.

But in skimming over the daily papers I have noticed one or two things which struck me as sufficiently amusing or amazing to warrant their notice here. And, if they are not necessarily signs of spring, at least they might be looked upon as signs of the times.

KILT LET-DOWN

FOR INSTANCE, I noticed that a sensation was caused in the House of Commons the other day when someone reported that Scottish textile manufacturers threatened the kilt.

Not with extinction but with the "new look." With a canny thought to an extra "shullin" or two, they had decided to export kilts of slightly longer length to this continent.

Lower the hemline and raise the prices was the argument advanced by the canny manufacturers. But they reckoned without Thomas Reid, M.P., the redoubtable Scot from New Westminster whose pipes can often be heard wailing like a banshee—or its Scottish equivalent—in the parliamentary corridors.

MERELY A SKIRT

HE ROSE TO PROTEST such an affront, in the broadcast of burrs. Such commercial desecration would reduce the once-proud kilt to the humiliating level of a mere skir-r-r-r-t—or words to that effect.

And he opined that it would be a sorry day for the land o' the heather when the kilt was allowed to conceal the bonny knees of Scottish laddies and lassies.

Now I can't altogether agree with him about the "bonny" knees. If he had left out an "n" and alluded to the knees as "bony" I might have gone along with him. But, recalling some of the knobby effects I have seen revealed by the waggle o' the kilt, I feel more inclined to favor the new look in this particular garment.

IN 'DIDIES' TOO

THE INFLUENCE of the Scotch is being felt in other directions, too. Or so it seems by another New York news item to the effect that custom-made diapers in tartan plaid cotton have gone on sale in the department stores there.

Can it be that the Scots, already renowned for their penetrative practices are insidiously trying to wean the babies over to their clannish views?

Or perhaps it is that someone with an eye for color has decided to introduce a little more of it into the clothesline on family washday?

LIFE-LIKE DOLLS

ANOTHER LITTLE ITEM tucked away in an eastern paper made me wonder how much farther the craze for realism is going to extend—as far as children are concerned.

Having tried to do away with Santa Claus and fairy tales, now they are introducing dolls that "burp," according to a New York news item. Sound engineers have probed the interior of the new doll, and endowed her with a gadget which, they claim, produces a most life-like "burp" when she is laid across the shoulder and her back pressed.

That may be. But I am sure the sawdust "tummy" of the great-grandmother of today's "burper," the old rag doll, would have turned over at such ungenteel behavior.

18-CARAT GOLD

BUT THOSE LITTLE SIGNS of these odd times fade into insignificance beside another amazing item from Philadelphia which told of the auction sale held in the 145-room mansion of a recently deceased society leader.

Bidding was spirited on the many "objets d'art" and magnificent furnishings. But, says the item, shocked citizens were too timid to venture into the bidding when the auctioneer reached the lots thus listed in the catalogue:

"Eighteen-carat gold lavatory seats."

Communist Says Everyone In Russia Will Have Car And Radio

Miss Wylie, noted author, tells of her conversations with a young Nazi and a Communist.

I shall always remember the young Nazi who said to me shortly before the war, "We Germans are so happy. We are free of freedom." He meant that he no longer had to make his own decisions or even think his own thoughts. He has, no doubt, long since paid cruelly for his illusion.

I remember, too, the young Communist guide in Russia who said to me proudly: "It doesn't matter how we suffer now. One day every Russian will have a car in his garage, a radio in his home, all the food he can eat. And he'll only have to work two hours a week for it. All our problems will be solved." It was no use telling him that I had a car and radio and all I wanted to eat—and that I hadn't solved my problem. Or that my working hours were my best and happiest. He wouldn't have understood or believed me.

The individual, even if he be Fascist or Communist, in the final issue must stand alone to battle with himself, his personal relations, his own suffering and death. No "ism" can do our living for us. Instead, we must accept life for what it actually is—a challenge to our quality without which we should never know of what stuff we are made, or grow to our full stature.

"The Quest of Our Lives" is an article in the Readers Digest for May, now on sale at your magazine dealers. Miss Wylie, the author, presents good common sense on how we should face every day life in this world of "isms." The Readers Digest is distributed on Vancouver Island by Lovicks News Agency, Victoria, B.C. ***

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Read Down			Read Up
9:10 a.m. Lv.	Victoria	Ar.	4:30 p.m.
10:50 a.m. Ar.	Duncan	Lv.	2:38 p.m.
11:02 a.m. Lv.	Duncan	Ar.	2:33 p.m.
11:56 a.m. Ar.	Ladysmith	Ar.	1:45 p.m.
12:45 p.m. Ar.	Nanaimo	Lv.	1:00 p.m.
1:15 p.m. Lv.	Nanaimo	Ar.	12:40 p.m.
2:15 p.m. Ar.	Parksville	Lv.	11:40 a.m.
2:26 p.m. Lv.	Parksville	Ar.	11:20 a.m.
4:25 p.m. Ar.	Port Alberni	Lv.	9:20 a.m.
2:25 p.m. Lv.	Parksville	Ar.	11:30 a.m.
4:20 p.m. Ar.	Courtenay	Lv.	9:40 a.m.

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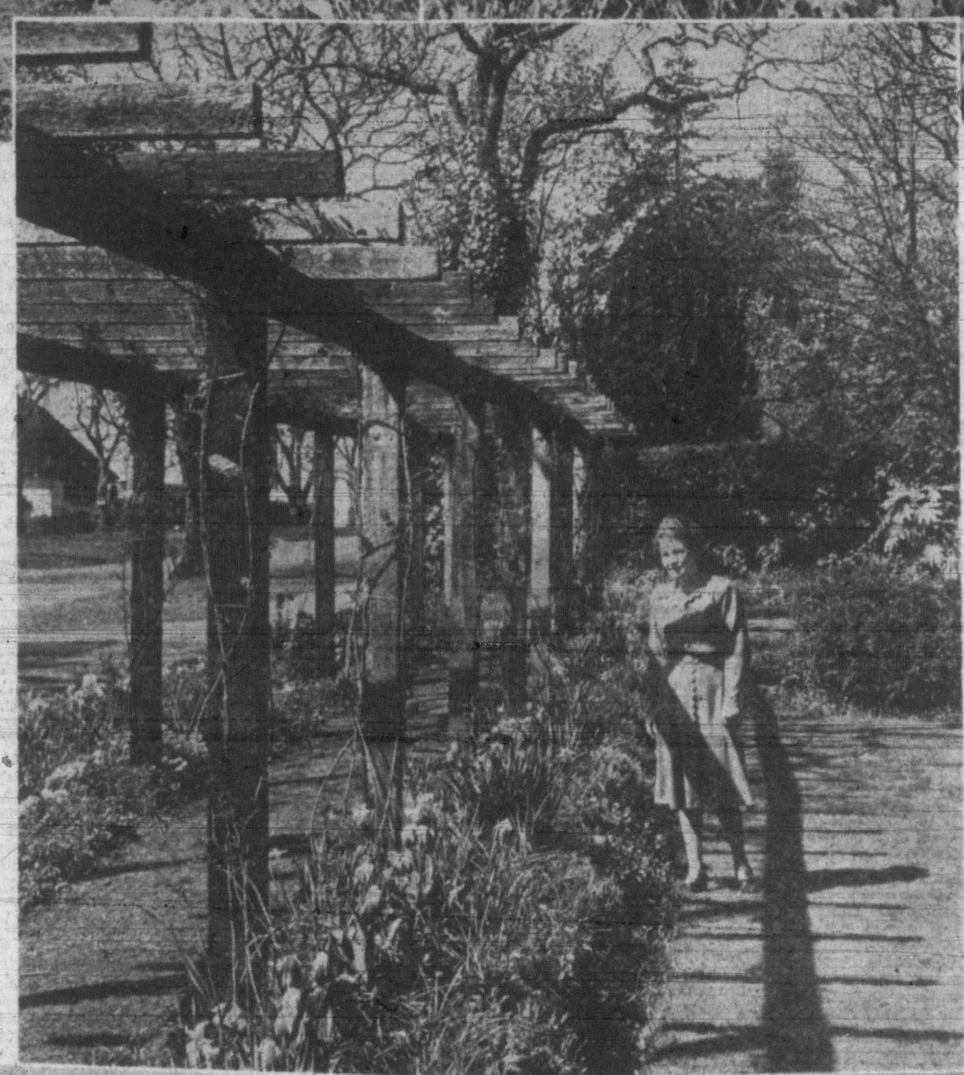
TODAY AND TOMORROW

Personalities in the News



Spring Garden Festival

Victoria will be en fete all next week, when visitors from the mainland and United States join with local residents in celebrating the annual Spring Garden Festival sponsored by the Victoria Horticultural Society . . . From Monday until Thursday, 37 private gardens and six commercial nurseries in Gordon Head, Oak Bay, Ten Mile Point, the Uplands, Esquimalt, Saanich and on Rockland Avenue, will be thrown open to conducted tours. . . . The Stephen garden is in this group. Other attractive gardens pictured here are representative of hundreds that will be "seen in passing" by visitors and that, in their beauty, assist to make Victoria famous as a city of gardens.

Top Left . . . The beauty of rustic effects and rockeries filled with unusual plants, make the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. V. Jermain, high on Gonzales Hill, an attractive hilltop home. Mrs. Jermain is pictured beneath an ancient ornamental pine, that has grown so large, its limbs touch the ground. The Jermain home is at 333 Denison Road.

Top Right . . . A host of golden daffodils and yellow forsythia, bloom in the garden at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Mearns, 3245 Beach Drive, where Mrs. Mearns is pictured. The grey-green of the oaks in the background create a perfect setting.

Centre . . . Tulips, for-get-me-nots and primulas are blooming at present in the border beside the rose arbor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. MacMinn, 2470 Lansdowne Road. Mrs. MacMinn, takes a great interest in flowers and her garden is outstanding among those in the Uplands.

Typical of many lovely waterfront homes in Victoria, is "Robinwood," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Stephen, 1318 Beach Drive. Hyacinths and primulas border the flagstone walk shown in the picture. The sun dial where Mrs. Stephen is standing, shrubs, and the natural beauty of tall fir trees, add much to the attractive landscaping of this garden. The swimming pool in the background covers almost an acre of sea shore.

Photos by Irving Strickland, Times Staff Photographer.

Yellow alyssum and mauve abretia, massed in the rockeries at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bevan, 3540 Midland Road, are in full bloom at present, making a colorful and showy display for warm spring days. Rhododendrons in the background and tulips in massed colors will be coming into bloom soon. Mrs. Bevan, who makes a hobby of gardening, and her daughter, Diane, are pictured above.

The Bookstand

By AILEEN CAMPBELL

Works of and about Oscar Wilde, the fabulous 19th century wit, playwright and poet, who once remarked on arrival in New York, that he had nothing to declare but his genius, are enjoying a revival of interest in Victoria these days, with the scheduled visit here in May of Cornelia Otis Skinner in Wilde's **Lady Windermere's Fan.**

The Public Library has been beseiged with requests for the few copies of the play it has for circulation, and lending libraries are noting renewed interest in Hesketh Pearson's excellent work, **Oscar Wilde, His Life and Wit,** which was published in 1946.

Lady Windermere is a fascinating puritan, who at the play's outset feels there should be no forgiveness for either man or woman for moral lapses. Misjudging her husband's interest in a lady with a past, Mrs. Erlynne, Lady Windermere rushes off in a huff. Mrs. Erlynne, who is really Lady Windermere's mother, prevents her from making the mistake Mrs. Erlynne made many years before. Lady Windermere never learns the identity of Mrs. Erlynne, but does learn to judge people's worth, despite the reputations they may have.

There is not much to the plot, but the Wilde, witticisms are what keep **Lady Windermere's Fan** an all time favorite of the theatre-going and reading public.

Here are but a few: "I prefer a woman with a past. They're always amusing to talk to. . . . It is absurd to divide people into good and bad. People are either charming or tedious. . . . Men become old but they never become good. . . . Crying is the refuge of plain women but the ruin of pretty ones. . . . He's sure to be a success; he thinks like a Tory and talks like a Radical. . . . Hopper is one of nature's gentlemen, the worst type of gentleman I know."

Oscar Wilde was born in Dublin in 1856, the son of Sir William Robert Wilde. He was educated at Trinity College, Dublin and Magdalen College, Oxford. He died in Paris in 1900, three years after his release from prison, where he had served a two-year sentence.

Hesketh Pearson wished to reconstruct Wilde as "a great character," with emphasis not on his tragic imprisonment but on his "delightful personality." It has been written by many that as a conversationalist, Wilde had no peer.

"No one who spoke our language was so consistently, lightheartedly and unmaliciously amusing as Wilde," wrote Pearson in the prologue to his book.

The dramatic novel **The Picture of Dorian Gray** and the comedies **The Importance of Being Earnest** and **An Ideal Husband** are among Oscar Wilde's much-read works.

"THE title **Washington and His Generals** (writes Roger Burlingame in **Of Making Many Books**—the story of the Scribner publishing house), the first success of the first publishing Charles Scribner, brings to mind that of Douglas Freeman's **Lee's Lieutenants** published nearly a century later by his grandson.

A comparison between the books hardly sustains the halo which once glowed round the head of the Reverend Headley. But a glance at the titles standing at either end of the hundred-year span, suggests many things about the history of authorship, of publishing and, indeed, of the nation itself. Headley's book, written, hand-set and printed within a few months while scavenging pigs were said to have galloped through the New York streets, trumpeted about the birth of the nation, stirring flamboyant patriotism to justify the grab of the Mexican War; Douglas Freeman's volume which took years to write, at a time when millions of machines roll off countless assembly lines every few seconds, calmly reviews the lives of men who fought to divide that nation and appeared while 11,000,000 united Americans struggled on two fronts half a world apart to save civilization."

Longman's Green & Company, Canadian Branch at 215 Victoria Street, Toronto 1, are inviting submission of manuscripts (fiction or non-fiction) for the age level 12 to 16. In the field of fiction they suggest Canadian historical themes.

Lending Library Leaders

David Spencer Ltd.: "Unclouded Summer" (fiction), by Alec Waugh; "Harper Of Heaven" (non-fiction), by Robert Service, and "There Is A Tide" (mystery), by Agatha Christie.

Diggon-Hibben Ltd.: "Storm Against the Wall," by Fannie Cook; "There Is A Tide," by Agatha Christie, and "Aging Nymph," by A. J. Elliott.

Marionette: "Headless Angel," by Vicki Baum; "The Glass Trumpet," by Elizabeth Seifert, and "She Skated Into Our Hearts," story of Barbara Ann Scott.

Bett's Bookshop: "Portrait of A Playboy," by Warwick Deeping; "There Is A Tide," by Agatha Christie, and Hill-Top Tales," by Dan MacCowan.

Study Of G.B.S.

The New Reprint Society of Canada which will market popularly priced reprints on a book-club basis and will feature the works of British, Canadian and American authors, have chosen Hesketh Pearson's very excellent work on Bernard Shaw as one of their monthly selections this year. The reprint of the month idea will be a boon to those harrassed individuals who want to, but never can keep up to the flood of best-sellers, and book-club monthly selections.

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Maclean's Magazine are sponsoring a short story contest to encourage Canadian writers, with a total of $2,000 to be awarded in prize money for the best fiction stories. The contest opened April 15 and will conclude September 1. Stories must be originals from 1,500 to 6,000 words in length and deal with themes suitable for publication in a general magazine. They should be mailed to Maclean's Short Story Contest, Maclean's Magazine, 481 University Avenue, Toronto.

"ONE of the most eccentric characters in the Yale faculty" (recounts A. E. Bostwick—the famous St. Louis librarian in his very complete **"A life with Men and Books,"** published by H. W. Wilson and Co.) was Prof Elias Loomis. He had retired from general teaching in the required curriculum, but still offered senior optionals, two of which were practical astronomy and meteorology. I took the latter subject.

"Many tales of Loomis's brevity and conciseness of speech went the rounds. On one occasion, so it was said, Loomis and his son, who were traveling abroad separately, met by chance in a hotel on the continent, when the following colloquy ensued:

"'Hello!'

"'Hello, father!'

"'Want any money?'

"'No thanks.'

"'Well, goodbye!'

"'Goodbye father.'

And they went their several ways."

Much Reading Pleasure

"A Shaft of Sunlight," by Hannah Aitken (Hodder and Stoughton, London).

Unexpected reading pleasure will be found in this leisurely, gentle little story of children growing to adulthood in Edinburgh between the two world wars.

It is the story of Joan, Marjory and Gavin and their friend Victoria, as told by Marjory. We meet Marjory after conclusion of World War II as she walks in the garden of her childhood.

"The years have changed nothing. The sunny spaces of grass are the same. Our old nursery window looks watchfully down over the golden barrier of lime trees and the timeless sense of well-being still lingers, as inescapable from these quiet Edinburgh gardens as the deeping light of a summer afternoon.

There is beauty and imagery in Miss Aitken's prose as she tells of the four children growing to maturity in the pleasant surroundings of their garden and their holiday place at Clarilaw. Marjory tells how she and her brothers found their home life and the "gallant array of characters in our books" completely satisfying with their thoughts taken up with things rather than people. But with Victoria it must always be people.

The war intrudes only slightly though it brings the death of John. There is really little one can say of the story, for there is so little story. It is a description of a gentle way of life, so seldom written of today.

"A Shaft of Sunlight" is a sensitive, well-written little book by a writer with imagination and remembrance of the things and thoughts of childhood.

Days Before Rebellion

"Reluctant Rebel," by Frederic F. Van de Water (Collins).

ADDING to the still mounting volume of historical fiction of both American and English locale, is Frederic F. Van de Water's **Reluctant Rebel,** a story laid in Vermont in the years preceding the American Revolution.

Adam Corlaer, whose "father's insistence had sent him to Oxford and whose death called him home," arrives in Bennington in 1771 on a mission to Canada via disputed territory to which he is an heir—the Grant's land of Vermont.

A journey begun with regret and as an "anodyne for bereavement's weight and the daunting sense of aimlessness," brought Adam in contact with the rebel leader Ethan Allen and carried him through years of adventure and secretaryship to the colorful Ally. The latter's "elemental power," Adam recognized at first meeting, despite his show trappings and "bawling gusto."

He who returned to his country with little knowledge of its politics, its seething rebellion against the British and little interest in the insurgents' cause, became part of Allen's soldiery and "part of the rebellion that the fall of Ticonderoga would invigorate."

Playing no small part in lighting Adam's interest was Delight Roydon, whom he first meets as a shy, young frontier girl of 14, and whom over the years, he grows to love, after his earlier attraction for Felicity Sherwood wanes.

Mr. Van de Water knows well the country and the period of history which he writes and his attention to historical detail has helped create a very readable book. However, the book may prove overlong (442 pages) to those who do not class themselves as indefatigable readers of historical fiction.

Wartime Washington Scene

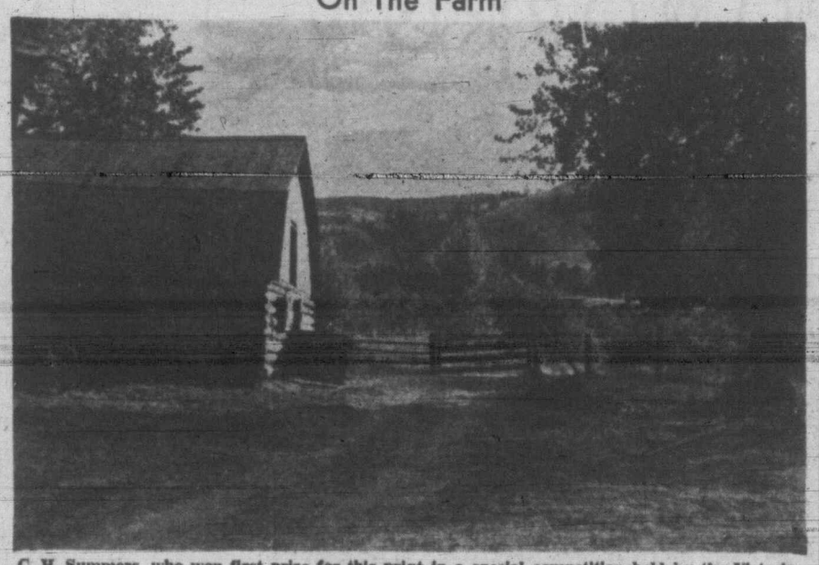
"Everybody Slept Here," by Elliott Arnold. (Collins.)

There is really little to recommend this effort of a former New York newspaperman to describe the drinking habits and extra-marital affairs of a group of rather shoddy characters in the wartime Washington scene.

While described on the jacket as a comedy, the book is hardly that. The central figure, Kitty Williams, commits suicide at the book's close, supposedly her one good act to save an innocent corporal from learning of her immoral past.

Dealing with desk-job officers of the Pentagon and a motley collection of officers' wives, girl friends and etcetera, **Everybody Slept Here** is just another book.

'On The Farm'



C. H. Summers, who won first prize for this print in a special competition held by the Victoria Camera Club, succeeded in capturing the peace and beauty of a simple farm scene.

Music And Drama

By AUDREY ST.D. JOHNSON

HAS IT EVER occurred to you that encoring has a psychology of its own? In some people's opinion, from being cool and unresponsive as an audience a few years back, we have gone to the other extreme and now overwhelm our visiting artists with enthusiasm and demands for more!

Well, as far as expecting too much goes, I think we can leave the artists to take care of themselves. Thomas L. Thomas, for instance, managed very neatly by remarking when he returned to the platform at the end of his program, "Our last three numbers, which Mr. Hannemann has pulled out of the hat at one grab, will be . . ." etc.

The quality, rather than the amount of applause that follows a performance, is the best indication of the popularity of the artist or his program. Thomas's reception was a tribute particularly to the vibrant, friendly personality of the man, the familiarity and the visual presentation to many of his numbers. The same thing may be said of Melton. Melchior, in addition to these qualities, sweeps the audience out of its seats, by the magnificence of his voice. When we come to consider musicians like Kapell and Elman, however, there are some differences. To begin with, instrumentalists cannot be compared with vocalists when one is discussing the question of personal magnetism.

AUDREY ST. D. JOHNSON

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WHY NOT? Because of the nature of their respective instruments. The singer is using his own natural instrument and his technique is a part of himself. Nothing intervenes between himself and his direct contact with his audience. But a pianist, violinist or any other such artist, must give all his thought and attention to his instrument. He cannot enhance his interpretation by any pleasant mannerisms, gestures or tricks of facial expression. His is absolute music; the one legitimate avenue of appeal to ordinary ears lying in the spectacular quality of his technique.

Following Elman's concert here this season, I heard several comments that the program was "too heavy!" Yet at the end he was repeatedly encored and so was Kapell, who played selections that made no concessions to popularity and who was criticized for his remote, unsmiling appearance.

From this it is quite clear that the long and repeated applause that was accorded Elman and Kapell, sprang from a quite different impulse. Appreciation on the part of the majority for their great attainments, certainly. But they were repeatedly recalled, also in the hope that they would play as encores, some better known and favorite compositions. The applause of an audience generally says: "We enjoyed that; we'd like to hear some more!" But it quite frequently says: "We didn't enjoy that but we know you're good; now let's hear something we can enjoy!"

But whatever the reasons behind it, Victorians have learned to applaud heartily, and not one of the visiting artists has failed to declare their pleasure in performing before such a warm and responsive audience.

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COMPARING accounts of concerts by touring stars 50 years ago with those of today, there is a striking difference to be noted in the attitude of the proud beauties who decorated the concert stage of pre-radio era. Their manner, at least in the smaller off-the-track cities such as Victoria, was often condescending; barely concealed contempt for their un-metropolitan audience.

This was most noticeable in the matter of encores. It is strange to find artists singing one or two additional numbers with a grudging resentment when one thinks of those of today whose generosity—and incidentally whose voices—never seem to become exhausted. The radio is no doubt, to some extent, responsible for the change in attitude. The majority of concertizing artists today have lucrative radio programs of enjoy frequent guest appearances on international hook-ups; an enviable circumstance which is contingent upon their general popularity. If they are not popular they will find no sponsors willing to pay colossal sums for their services. Also thanks to radio, audiences in towns 2,000 miles from New York, can no longer be considered, musically speaking "hick." Radio has conditioned them to expect the best and to realize, instinctively, when they are not getting it.

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IN OTHER WORDS, the age of radio has placed a double obligation particularly on singers. It is no longer enough that they have good voices and reputations in the world's operatic centres. Nor is it easy for worn-out opera stars to find guillible audiences by going on tour. These days a singer does not have to have a world-wide reputation in order to gain an audience. But they do have to have good voices and personality. Even complete and first-rate training comes a poor second to these considerations.

So in spite of fulminations—my own and others—against radio's abuses, we have to admit that in music at any rate, modern science has helped considerably to spread and raise the level of artistic appreciation. And in that admission one can see a hope that the age of television may make a similar contribution to the public evaluation of good theatre.

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IT WOULD TAKE a considerable survey to verify the statement, but it seems to me that more composers have been, and still are, inspired by the lyrics and plays of Shakespeare than by any other single poet in history. Without any difficulty at all, one can think of Schubert, Mendelssohn, Tchaikowsky, Verdi, Schumann, Nicolai, Purcell, Gounod, German.

Less well known because they are closer to us, are the Shakespearean works of living composers; the songs of Vaughan Williams, Roger Quilter, Healey Willan. "Macbeth" provides the theme of an opera by Ernest Bloch and for the first of Richard Strauss's wonderful tone poems. Possibly it is because Shakespeare's own themes are timeless, his poetic phrases flowing in a rhythm that matches the rhythm of the universe, that composers ever turn to him for the perfect text, colorful and provocative to musical thought.

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A NEW Canadian string quartette is winning shining words of praise from critics in the east. It is programmed as the "Solway Quartette" after its founder and first violinist, Maurice Solway.

In its recent Toronto debut at Hart House Theatre, the quartette played Haydn and Kreisler as well as three works by Canadian composers, at least two of which were well received. Unity, balance, precision, authority, lustre of tone, are words and phrases picked at random from rave notices in the press. Chamber music only needs to be brought more often before the public to develop an appreciation and demand for it, so uncovering a mine of wealth and beauty in chamber compositions of the great masters. Like everything else, however, it will please and attract quickest by being presented brilliantly, so it is to be hoped that the Solway Quartette will be given the opportunity to concertize across Canada. Such a tour on their part, playing the best Canadian works as well as Haydn, Mozart and Beethoven should help to give fellow Canadians a better conceit of themselves as a nation capable of producing the finest in music as well as in wheat and apples.

If more and more musical organizations will look at home when they are selecting their guest talent, instead of importing it, they will be making a real contribution to the prosperity of their country. Just imagine the boom that would be created if every club and musical group in Canada were to insist on Canadian artists when they go to market with a pocket-full of dollars! Not only is it economically sound to keep those dollars in Canada at the present time, but it is actually a patriotic duty to adopt generally, a policy whose slogan might be: "Keep for Canada those highly gifted people who are Canadians."

Thoughts For The Week

MONDAY

For if the first fruit be holy, the lump is also holy: and if the root be holy, so are the branches. —Romans 11:16.

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No man or woman of the humblest sort can really be strong, gentle, pure, and good, without somebody being helped and comforted by the very existence of that goodness.—Phillips Brooks.

TUESDAY

And all the earth sought to Solomon, to hear his wisdom, which God had put in his heart. —I Kings 10:24.

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Body cannot teach wisdom; God only.—Emerson.

WEDNESDAY

In whose hand is the soul of every living thing, and the breath of all mankind.—Job 12:10.

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There is no worm of the earth, no spire of grass, no leaf, no twig, wherein we see not the footsteps of a Deity.—Robert Hall.

THURSDAY

A man's heart deviseth his way: but the Lord directeth his steps.—Proverbs 16:9.

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Man supposes that he directs his life and governs his actions, when his existence is irretrievably under the control of destiny. —Goethe.

FRIDAY

And said, I beseech thee, O Lord God of heaven, the great and terrible God, that keepeth covenant and mercy for them that love him and observe his commandments . . .—Nehemiah 1:5.

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O Lord, who are our gide even unto death, grant us, I pray Thee, grace to follow Thee whithersoever Thou goest. In little daily duties to which Thou callest us, bow down our wills to simple obedience.—Christina Rossetti.

SATURDAY

A good man sheweth favor, and lendeth: he will guide his affairs with discretion.—Psalms 112:5.

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Goodness is always an asset. A man who is straight, friendly and useful may never be famous, but he is respected and liked by all who know him. He has laid a sound foundation for success and he will have a worthwhile life.—H. N. Casson.

SUNDAY

But to do good and to communicate forget not; for with such sacrifices God is well pleased.—Hebrews 13:16.

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That best portion of a good man's life—
His little, nameless, unremembered acts
Of kindness and of love.
—William Wordsworth.

'Cabbages And Kings'

By PETER ELIOT

"I WAS dressing for dinner sometime in the spring of 1919 (relates Lady Tweedsmuir in a beautiful remembrance volume, **'John Buchan'** by his Wife and Friends—Hodder and Stoughton) when my husband came in and told me that Lionel Curtis—the English historian had arrived, bringing Lawrence of Arabia with him. 'Lionel asks that no one shall mention Arabia or the war to him,' he added. After the usual flutters of a hostess upon whom distinguished visitors descend like angels unaware (a few moments before a meal), I came into the library with a beating heart.

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"Lawrence sat next to me at dinner. I was tongue-tied from shyness, first because I had heard that he did not like the society of women, secondly because the subjects of Arabia and the war persistently cropped up in my mind, in that unfortunate way which forbidden topics always do. Lawrence was then at All Souls College, Oxford. He was silent, keeping his eyes veiled by heavy lids, but occasionally opening them wide and disconcertingly and letting me look into their deep porcelain-blue. I thought that they were of the most wonderful color and depth that I had ever seen in a human head.

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"Next time Lawrence came to see us a rather amusing incident took place. Harold Baker (the famous architect) was staying at Elsfield for a week-end and my husband had in his possession one of the original copies of the 'Seven Pillars of Wisdom'. He was under no embargo against showing it to anyone, but it was understood that Lawrence disliked the matter referred to, and was not anxious for people to read it. Harold (that most discreet of men) asked to be allowed to glance at it, and there seemed no reason to refuse this reasonable request under the seal of secrecy. We went off to church and he had settled down to read it in our library, when Lawrence in the uniform of an air force mechanic, walked in suddenly. Harold, with admirable presence of mind, draped the Spectator over the book, then rose, and casually laid both paper and book down in a dark corner of our library near the book shelves."

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"THE late Duke of Kent came to stay at Hyde Park after a visit to Canada," (writes Sir Gerald Campbell in his recently published **'Of True Experience'**, Dodd, Mead and Co.). "As he was on active service I was instructed to avoid anything in the nature of a press conference, though that does not mean that anything on earth can stop the 'boys' from flocking to the point of arrival which, in this case, was the LaGuardia airport in New York. The ubiquitous mayor, true to form was on hand to greet the distinguished visitor and he and I arranged beforehand that he would make a short speech of welcome through a portable microphone, to which His Royal Highness would respond, before repairing to the main building where the same performances would be repeated for the press. But when we were ushered into a room where a table and chairs had been placed, while someone announced sonorously, 'Ladies and Gentlemen of the Press, the Duke of Kent.' Naturally, they began asking questions immediately with the result that, when they wandered from the weather and the flight I had to intervene. What a blasting I got for my pains in the next day's papers, and in one London paper, too; but the minister of information soothed my broken spirit with a cable of congratulations on having done my duty.

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"ONE day in San Francisco, a ponderous lady poured herself into my office followed by an Oh-so-small husband.

"'I have never known anything so ridiculous,' she burbled, 'as the ignorance of these Americans on the subject of Stilton cheeses. In the house where I have been staying the people do not even know what a real Stilton cheese is like. So I am sending them a whole Stilton cheese for next Christmas; do you understand?'

"'I'm trying hard.'

"'Well, then, give me your name, and the cheese will be addressed to you on the outside, and you will pay the duty and deliver it, sending me the bill.'

"'That is very kind of you, but d'you know that is not my job.'

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"'Not your job? Ridiculous. What do you do all day and, if you can't do it, who can?'

"'A customs broker will be the best man for you.'

"'So I have to go and find a customs broker, do I? Probably miles away.'

"'No, it is about two and a half BLOCKS! You, the representative of our country, say blocks!'

"Whereupon she poured herself out without any form of farewell, which did not worry me, but the Oh-so-small husband delayed his exit long enough to grip me warmly by the hand and give me the most beautiful look! I wished afterwards I had offered to go with her, for I would have led her to my favorite notice swinging in the breeze, 'Crematorium and Columbarium: All visitors welcome.'"

Radio Personalities

By FLORENCE LARINDE

EVERY Tuesday night for 13 weeks this summer a CBC one-hour Dominion-network program will present the zaniest collection of characters that ever sang a rollicking ditty or tickled the ribs of listeners.

Among the capering characters featured on this series will be Sir Marmaduke Pointdextre, Major Murgatroyd, Private Willis, who marries a fairy queen; Little Buttercup, the Portsmouth bumboat woman; Ralph Rackstraw; Lady Sangazure, Ko-Ko, Lord High Executioner of Titiput, and Poo-Bah, Lord High Everything Else.

You've guessed it—Gilbert and Sullivan!

Here then is the schedule of the operettas to be heard.

May 4, H.M.S. Pinafore; May 11, Pirates of Penzance; May 18, Mikado; May 25, Iolanthe; June 1, Yeomen of the Guard; June 8, Gondoliers; June 15, Patience; June 22, Ruddigore; June 29, Trial by Jury; July 6, The Sorcerer; July 13, Princess Ida; July 20, Utopia Limited; July 27, The Grand Duke.

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UNDER the musical direction of Geoffrey Waddington, who has previously conducted two similar series, these artists will sing the leading roles;

Vancouver-born baritone Edmund Hockridge, alumnus of the wartime program "Johnny Canuck's Review," and currently featured on "Music for Canadians" and his own recital series

Nellie Smith, Toronto contralto and a graduate of London's Royal Academy of Music, who was recently heard as soloist on the CBC's Dominion-wide broadcast of the Bach St. Matthew Passion.

Tenor William Morton, native of Manitoba, who appeared in the Passion broadcast, as narrator.

Baritone Eric Treadwell, born in Bristol, England, one-time dining-room steward on a Victoria-Seattle boat, and well-known concert singer.

Jean Haig, popular lyric soprano.

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ARTURO TOSCANINI has long been a television fan, but his telecast with the NBC Symphony Orchestra recently was his first experience on the other side of the cameras.

He had ample opportunity to feel the glare and heat of the lights—and liked the experience. As a result, it is expected that other telecasts of the symphony program, simultaneously with the radio broadcast will be scheduled when Toscanini returns to the podium in October for the 1948-49 season.

On his home television set, Toscanini has come to know many prizefighters by name and weight class. The same astonishing memory that works for his music also takes to the field of sports. It amazes his friends to hear Toscanini talk with the same fluency about Louis and Walcott as about Verdi and Beethoven.

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POPUAR west coast songstress Beryl Boden is now in New York appearing with the well-known vocal foursome known as Hi, Lo, Jack and the Dame.

Dance music fans throughout Canada have heard Beryl during the past few seasons singing with Dal Richards and his orchestra on their Friday night show from Vancouver.

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A RECENT survey showed that church music and hymns led the hit parade, followed closely by popular dance music. Ranked in descending order of popularity were semi-classical music and operettas, cowboy and hillbilly tunes, and classical. At the bottom, and a long drop below classical music, was boogie-woogie.

The Atom And You....Some Answers

(How does the atom bomb kill? What strange effect does it have on the human body? Can an enemy without a bomb kill with deadly atomic warfare? Can atomic fission be made to work for man's benefit? Ever since Nagasaki and Hiroshima, man has been asking those questions. Little by little, doctors and physicists have been learning the answers, sifting them through the screen of "security." Now S. Burton Heath, N.E.A.'s reporter-at-large, who saw the atom at work in the Bikini tests, tells today's story of "The Atom and You." In simplest man-of-the-street language, he has put together the answer to man's questions from scientific reports and from the scientists who have written them.)

By S. BURTON HEATH

ONE atomic bomb, exploded over New York's Times Square on a working day, could be expected to kill several hundred thousand men, women and children.

No reputable atomic expert, in Washington, D.C., or elsewhere, will estimate the exact number. The New York fire department says 100,000. On the basis of Hiroshima and Nagasaki, it would be more than 800,000. The most reliable experts say the fire department's guess is absurdly low. They think the bigger figure is too high.

If these top experts knew, they would not tell. To do so would give a clue, to a potential enemy, as to how much more powerful present-day bombs are than those used against Japan in 1945. And that is a really top-drawer secret.

The same bomb might kill less people, and injure less, in a modern American city than in a Japanese city, because the bomb's deadly rays would have more massive walls through which to pass.

The only way to describe what would happen in New York, or any large American or Canadian city, if it were atom-bombed, is to apply the Japanese experience, and let each reader guess for himself whether the new bombs are enough more powerful to counteract our better building construction.

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THERE are many places where an atom bomb would do more military damage than over Times Square. There are many places where one would upset the industrial and political and economic worlds more. There are several where almost as many people would be killed. There are quite a few that are more likely than Times Square.

That location is chosen partly because so many can visualize it, and partly because the New York Regional Plan Association has figures that make it possible to estimate deaths more intelligently.

Nobody predicts that such a bomb will be dropped now, or soon. U.S. Defence Secretary Forrestal says flatly that Russia has no atom bomb. He says Russia knows how to make one, though up to now she lacks the capacity to do so. Some of the keenest diplomats are convinced that, until she does have the bomb, Russia will not fight.

But the world's unsettled condition makes the people on this continent A-bomb conscious. They ask what such a bomb would do. This is the best available estimate what would happen if just one enemy plane, carrying one modern atom bomb, should evade our defences and get over Times Square.

Suppose such a super-A-bomb were exploded over Times Square during a working day. What would happen?

Somewhere under half a million persons would be killed, or fatally injured, by shock, flash burn, fire, falling walls, flying debris. They would be the lucky ones. Most of them would die quickly. Another 300,000 or more—enough to make up the total of 800,000 — would die, over a period of weeks, from radiation sicknes. And a lot more would suffer from radiation sickness, but would recover in whole or in part. Those are the figures we get applying Japanese experience to New York's population.

Put together here are an overhead view of New York's Times Square and the historic picture of the atomic mushroom over Nagasaki. This is the impressionistic effect of what might happen on a fateful A-bomb day over Manhattan. There are many targets more likely than Times Square. But put together the easily-visualized facts about mid-town Manhattan's people and the facts science learned from the victims at Nagasaki and Hiroshima, and you get an idea of what would happen if a modern A-bomb were exploded on the Crossroads of the World.

Most of those not killed outright would feel nothing wrong, the day of the explosion. They would think they had escaped. Like those who underestimated the Bikini tests after a quick looksee, they might fool themselves that an A-bomb is just an oversized chunk of explosive.

Radiation sickness, experts say, would have killed 99 out of every 100 persons within a mile of "ground zero" for the Jap bombs, if some hadn't escaped by being killed more humanely. And it would have killed one out of every two who were more than a mile, but less than a mile and three-quarters, from ground zero, the point directly underneath the bursting bomb.

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IN NAGASAKI and Hiroshima only about 15 out of every 100 deaths were from radiation sickness. But experts think that the other 85 would have died from radiation sickness, anyway. If they hadn't been killed quicker. Many, the experts say, "died several times." They were "sunburned" by ultra violet rays enough to cause death. They flash-burned by infra-red rays enough to kill them. They absorbed enough beta and gamma rays, and neutrons, to be fatal. But they were lucky enough to be killed, first, by a falling wall, a flying brick, or a sliver of glass.

American construction might mean less deaths from falling walls and flying debris, and more deaths from radiation sickness. Congested American buildings would shorten the killing distance of radiation from the same bomb, but modern bombs are reported to be more powerful.

If a more powerful bomb spread death over as wide an area of New York as the less powerful bomb did over Hiroshima, then such a bomb, exploded over Times Square on a working day would:

Irradiate about 642,000 persons living, working or visiting in the area from 22nd Street north to Central Park, between First Avenue and the Hudson River.

Those not killed by blast or fire would die from radiation sickness.

About 6,500 persons, deep underground or behind plenty of walls, might escape.

It would irradiate 165,000 other persons who were between Washington Square and 22nd Street, or between the south end of Central Park and 78th Street, or in the extreme western edge of Long Island City, across the East River, so that they would die in a few days or weeks. An equal number would escape death, though many of them would be pretty sick for a while. In Japan the number injured was at least as great as the number killed.

These estimates are based upon population figures computed by the U.S. Regional Plan Association. The percentages are those given by experts who studied the A-bomb's effects in Japan.

Some persons outside this area would be irradiated. Their number, their location, and the seriousness of their affliction would depend on the weather. Those down-wind would be in greatest danger. If rain fell while the atomic cloud still was overhead, it might sprinkle deadly radiation over a big area.

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AN atom bomb explosion is like a stroke of lightning in at least one way: By the time you know it's coming, it's too late to do anything about it.

If you're within a mile of the bomb's zero point, there's no use ducking flying bricks or dodging falling walls. Before you heard the explosion, or realized that you saw its blinding flash, you were saturated with gamma rays, neutrons, and maybe beta and even alpha rays.

Probably you're already dead. though you may not stop breathing for days, or weeks, or even a month or two.

The farther you were from ground zero—which is the point directly underneath the bursting bomb—the more chance you have to survive. The more walls of any kind there are between you and the bomb itself, the better your chance.

The protection you would get from buildings depends upon the specific gravity of the walls between you and the bomb. Specific gravity is the weight of the wall's material compared with the weight of an equal volume of water.

Nobody wants to create undue alarm about atomic bombing. Scientists insist that no other nation has the bomb yet. Diplomats are trying to avoid any war in which bombs might be used. But there is much curiosity what a bomb actually does to the human body, and there is much misinformation, some of which is worse even than the terrible truth.

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LET'S suppose you were within the radiation area of an exploding atom bomb, and you were not killed by shock, or by falling walls or flying debris, or burned to death. Except, maybe, for "sunburn" or flash burns, you seemed to escape uninjured. Here is what would happen to you:

The next day you would feel "all in," as though you had got up too soon after a high fever had weakened your system. Nothing specially wrong—just feel lousy. Then mild nausea. You wouldn't feel like eating. Probably you would vomit. How soon would depend on how close you were to the bomb, how severely you were exposed.

From then on, symptoms would vary somewhat. If you were really hard hit, bloody diarrhea might begin that second day. Within a few hours, a blood count would show that your infection-fighting white corpuscles were disappearing fast. You might die in two days or survive for a week. Autopsy would show that the tissues and membranes of your body had been "ionized"—that is, changed chemically so that they no longer could do their jobs.

If you were farther from the bomb, vomiting might be delayed a day or two. Diarrhea might be mild, or even not show at all for the time being. You might even feel better and think you had recovered—only to relapse and start the symptoms all over again.

In either case your mouth, gums, larynx would become inflamed, swell, bleed. In from 12 to 48 hours after exposure you might develop a fever anywhere from 100 to as much as 106 degrees Fahrenheit. A generally well adult can stand 107 degrees up to four hours, but a person weakened by atomic radiation can't. If you survived that fever, probably you would recover. If you were to die, the fever probably would last until death.

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WHAT happened inside you? What caused these unpleasant and often fatal things?

Gamma rays, neutrons, maybe beta rays, killed your white corpuscles. Normally there are an average of 7,000 in each cubic millimetre of blood. Radiation victims have shown from 1,500 down to a flat zero. Infections find no white corpuscles to fight them. So they cause Ludwig's Angina—the mouth infection described—and breed ulcers in the intestines, and boils. Germs, finding no white corpuscles, may bring you pnenmonia or typhoid or dysentery or any of many deadly diseases the white corpuscles ordinarily fight off.

The red corpuscles, that carry hemoglobin around in the blood, supplying oxygen to the body supplying oxygen to the body and carrying away carbon dioxide, are not killed directly. But their lifetime is short. Some are dying all the time from old age, and are being replaced by new cells manufactured in the red marrow of the bone.

This red marrow, which makes both red and many of the white corpuscles, is destroyed by radiation, so it can not replace the corpuscles in the blood. As the red cells die off, anemia sets in. The body doesn't get its necessary oxygen; carbon dioxide isn't carried off and breathed off.

There ought to be five million red corpuscles in every millimetre of the blood. Japs died with less than one million left.

The tissue of the lymph and the spleen, which also makes some white corpuscles, is injured or destroyed by the deadly rays.

At the same time, the blood platelets are destroyed. They are what start the blood clotting, and what keeps the walls of the capillaries from leaking like sieves. With platelets the blood ought to clot by itself in three or four minutes. The blood of persons exposed to radiation may require from half an hour to three or four hours to clot. So the victim bleeds, inside and out. The sebaceous glands are injured, and your skin loses its "waterproofing" so that the body's liquid content evaporates through it.

In from a few days to a couple of weeks after the explosion, your hair will start falling out, if you were within a mile and a half of the blast. Grey hair resists better than dark hair. If you live, the hair probably will come back in about two months.

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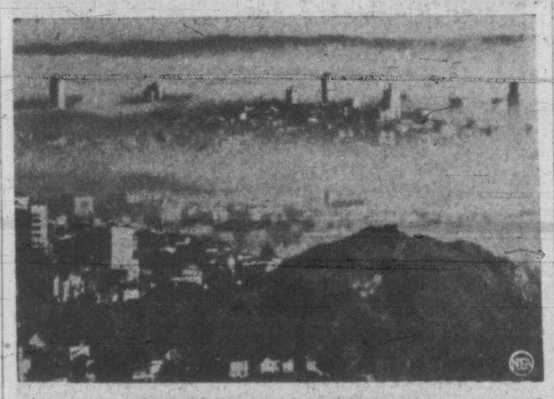
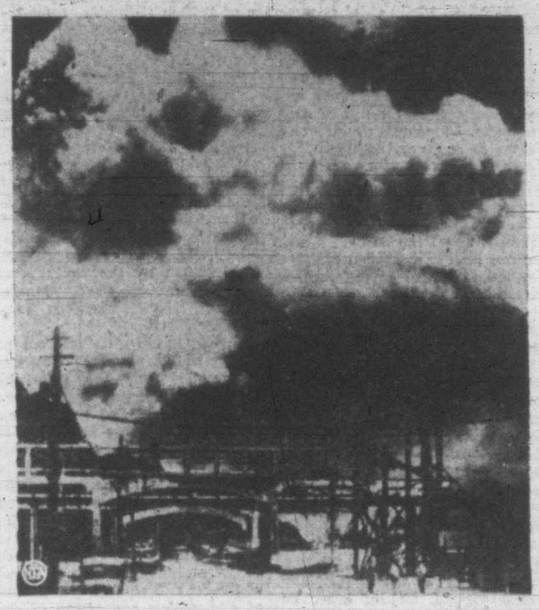
MEN within a mile of ground zero show anything from a complete lack of spermatazoa to a very low count, so that for some time they are sterile, though apparently desire and potency are not affected. Their hormones are more resistant. Male fertility probably returns in a few months.

Women's fertility is affected less because the body protects the ovaries. But in Japan every pregnant woman within 300 feet of ground zero had a miscarriage. All within 6,500 feet—a mile and a quarter—had either a miscarriage or premature birth of an infant that died soon. Up to two miles away, only one birth in three was normal. For months after the bombing, miscarriages were more than four times normal.



Mist above is just a typical San Francisco fog, unpleasant perhaps, but harmless. Many experts think an atomic cloud, created with isotopes, might look just about like San Francisco's mist.

Any nation with an atomic pile could make such a cloud, even though it had no bomb like the one which created a more deadly looking cloud over Nagasaki (below).



Other factors than radiation contributed to this—shock, fright, hysteria, wartime conditions. How much blame goes to radiation the experts won't even guess.

Scientists do not expect radiation will cause the birth of many "monstrous" or abnormal babies. Theoretically this is entirely possible. The rays can and do break up the genes—the protein particles that determine color of eyes, shape of nose, number of fingers, every physical characteristic. With plants, and with animals in the laboratory, monstrous offspring are produced by breaking up the genes with atomic radiation.

But Dr. Shields Warren, chief of the Medical Section of the Atomic Energy Commission, says that ordinarily radiation will kill the embryo, and cause abortion or miscarriage instead of merely changing the genes and letting a race of monsters be born.

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A RADIOACTIVE atomic cloud can be created without exploding an atom bomb. Such a cloud could be loosed on a city by an enemy that did not have an atomic bomb.

All that is needed is an atomic pile, plus enough long-range bombers to get some through the defences.

Russia has an atomic pile, according to scientists who are in position to be well informed. They say there are six outside the United States.

Glenn L. Martin, the plane builder, mentioned such a cloud in an interview recently. He was quoted as saying that such a cloud could be as deadly as that from a bomb itself. He said he felt free to mention it because the matter had been discussed in a scientific publication some time ago.

The article to which Martin referred was in the March-April issue of the Coast Artillery Journal in 1947. It was reprinted in brief by Reader's Digest. It was written by Lt.-Col. David B. Parker. It was an imaginary account of the "black cloud" rolled over New York by a bomb exploded in the harbor waters—which is quite different than a cloud created without a bomb.

But it really is possible to create such a bombless atomic cloud, and with it to saturate any city to which an enemy can get enough bombers. The existence of such a possibility is mentioned by Henry D. Smyth in his "Atomic Energy for Military Purposes," the bible of that field. He discloses that as early as May, 1941, our scientists realized that "a particularly vicious form of poison gas" could be made from the by-products of an atomic pile.

He and E. Wigner, both of Princeton, developed the idea in a report made the day before Pearl Harbor. They said that the fission products made in one day by a 100,000 kilowatt chain-reacting pile could make a large area unfit to live in.

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THE Atomic Energy Commission meets all inquiries with a blank stare and a vigorous "no comment." But the average competent physicist knows how such a cloud could be created.

When uranium is made into plutonium in an atomic pile, dozens of radioactive isotopes of various elements are created as by-products. They come out in liquid solution. Various isotopes are separated chemically and sold for medical, agricultural and industrial research and use.

To make an atomic cloud, it is necessary only to select those isotopes that radiate alpha rays for a long time, separate them from the rest, and compress them into a "bomb" like those household affairs used to spray for bugs. Such a "bomb" could be small or large. If isotopes radiating gamma rays were included, the "bomb" would need to be of lead, to protect the bomber crews. If only alpha-radiations were used, lead would not be necessary.

For such use the selected isotopes would be suspended in an oil that was strong enough to carry them but quick to evaporate. Loosed over the enemy city, without any explosion, this liquid would spray over everything and then evaporate, leaving behind radioactivity that might last for days, weeks, months or years.

The only limit to the area that could be polluted would be the limit placed by planes and crews available to fight their way through enemy defences.

Oak Ridge is turning out so much in the way of byproducts that their disposal is a problem. Some isotopes emit powerful rays that do not last long. Others give off less powerful rays with longer life. Radioactive iodine, for example, has quite powerful radiations, which lose half their strength every eight days. Radioactive chlorine has low radiation, but it takes a million years for it to lose half its strength.

When our scientists first awoke to this danger, the Nazis were working on atomic fission with a bomb in mind. We didn't know how far they had got. British, Canadians and American officials did a lot of worrying that the Nazis might get a pile going, make such "gas," and dump it on our cities.

When the Smyth report made this danger public, it was said that our scientists had devised defences against it. Experts question this. They say there is no real "defence" against an atomic cloud.

But they say that the greatest danger from such a cloud, in actual fact, is from panic. They do not believe that an enemy is likely to drop enough such radiation anywhere in this country to kill many people, or to make large areas unusable.

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RADIATION from such isotopes is weak, and has short range, compared with that from a bursting atom bomb. Its killing effects would be limited to relatively small areas. Walls that would offer little hindrance to bomb radiations would stop those from isotopes.

What these experts would fear, in time of war, would be a wave of hysterical fear if Geiger counters began recording radioactivity in the heart of New York, Washington, Detroit, Pittsburgh, Los Angeles.

They think the public should be told that—though a really lethal atomic cloud could be created—a semi-phony cloud is much more likely.

Such a semi-phony cloud could be made—for the sole purpose of creating panic without hope of killing anybody—by dumping just enough isotopes here and there to start Geiger counters racing. Imagination, and the dread of radiation sickness, would do the rest.

Next week—Can Atomic Fission Work for Man's Good?

Is There Any Known Cure For Radiation Sickness?

There is no known cure for radiation sickness. Every medical man and physicist consulted in connection with this article scoffs at the idea that any has been discovered or is in sight.

Out of study in Japan, and of the Bikini tests, and of the theories involved, have come only this much knowledge about prevention and cure:

1. The only sure protection is distance. If you are near a bursting atom bomb, or an atomic cloud, the best protections are many yards of earth or reinforced concrete.

2. Clothing, or even grass or leaves or a shadow, protects against flash burn from infra-red rays and against "sun-burn" from ultra-violet rays. Loose clothing is better than tight. White clothing is better than dark.

3. The best medical care might have saved about one out of 12 killed at Nagasaki and Hiroshima. Those saved would have been the ones exposed to least radiation, the ones burned least, and the ones who did not die directly from radiation, but from infections and germs that killed them only because radiation had destroyed white corpuscles.

4. Some burn victims can be saved by use of enormous quantities of blood plasma and injection of fluids to replace those lost because of the burns.

5. The best treatments yet found for radiation victims consist of large quantities of whole blood, to replace the red and white cells killed by radiation, plus penicillin to fight off infections and germs until the white cell count is restored. Liver extract helps by stimulating the manufacture of new red corpuscles.

6. Doctors say that the new drug "Rutin"—sometimes wrongly spelled "Rootin"—is not an antidote for the "radiation sickness" discussed here, which is that caused by a bomb or an atomic cloud. It may be an antidote or a cure for the pre-bomb type of radiation sickness, which was limited to nausea and an anemic tired feeling.

Atom bomb victims survived the burns that caused heavy scar tissue like this. But what killed most victims was radiation which leaves no scars. Hiroshima victim Kiyoshi Kikkawa, photographed by the U.S. Army Signal Corps more than two years after the bomb fell, suffered the only radiation injuries that leave a visible sign, but which are the least harmful.

Found Gold, Buried His Wife Four Times

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THE place-names of any country can be likened to sign-posts on the road of history. To the student, or one interested in such a subject, place-names and their origins can be of great interest and help. In our economic life, they are essential, everybody and everything must have a name. In the army, they not only took your name and measurements, but they gave you a number, just to make sure.

In my opinion, B.C. is well served in this regard. The whole gamut of human emotions, high purpose and endeavor, the trials and tribulations, joys and sorrows, humor, thank God, and romance are evidenced in many of her place-names.

W. H. G. Firth, chief geographer of British Columbia, consulting his records.

The oldest names of course, are those of Indian origin and they form a goodly portion of some 35,000 British Columbia place-names now recorded. It is noticeable the interior names of Kamloops, Kootenay, Similkameen and Osoyoos, have a softer flow and finer modulation in contrast to the more guttural sound of some coastal Indian names, such as Clayoquot, Kyuquot, Quatsino, Nuchalitz. From the grip and sound of the latter, one could imagine a Scotsman was in collaboration here; he certainly left his imprint at a later date.

They all have, however, a distinctive character and as one commentator aptly said, in a recent broadcast, "they have the feel of the country."

The names Cassiar, Skookumchuck, Sechelt, Chilcotin, Stikine, Nass, Kokanee, Assinaboine, have color, distinction and trite expressive meanings.

OWING to the diverse and limited language or dialect of each tribe the correct transliteration of Indian names was difficult, and it is possible some of them received a severe twist in the process. The classic example in this regard is the name Okanagan. On good authority, it is stated to have no less than 38 different spellings, whereby one is reminded of Sam Weller of Pickwick Papers fame, "It all depends upon the taste and fancy of the speller mi Lord."

The Indian names have a wide geographical distribution, and in this way form a good background or pattern for the framework of B.C. nomenclature.

The marine feature names of the province, are of great interest and well named. With the exception of those of Indian origin, by far the largest portion of an estimated 8,000 coastal names is definitely linked with the early navigators and their exploits, marine events, and ships of early and contemporary dates.

Those of Spanish origin lend color and stimulate interest in the nomenclature of B.C. They remind us of the earliest explorations on our seaboard and also of the historical period that climaxed with the signing of the Nootka convention in 1792. The names Quadra, Cortez, Galiano, Gambier and Texada Islands, Juan de Fuca and Malaspina Straits, San Josef, Alberni, and many others call to mind the pomp and splendor of the Spanish Court during the reign of His Catholic Majesty Charles IV, and the punctilious formalities and courtesies strictly observed by the Spaniards in these early days.

PRACTICALLY every "ship of the line" of the Royal Navy, square-rigged, and of other design that operated in these waters from Elizabethan times on, is commemorated in one way or another, as witness a few—Chatham Sound, Resolution Cove, Discovery, Active and Plumper Passages, Ganges Harbor and Golden Hinde.

As practiced in early days, the names of royalty, the nobility and personal names of statesmen, administrators, officers of both war and mercantile marine ships, were freely adapted for place-names. This practice is exemplified by the names Queen Charlotte Islands, Princess Louisa Inlet, Burrard Inlet, Howe Sound, Pitt, Vancouver and Quadra Islands, Grenville Channel, Georgia Strait—all of great historic interest.

The names Warrior Cove, Uganda and Ontario Points commemorate ships of the Royal Canadian Navy.

Trade in sea otter furs from Nootka and other coastal points was the first commercial development in B.C. This important phase in her history which also stimulated overland explorations, is indicated by the well known names Hanna Cove, Meares Island, Dixon Entrance and Barkley Sound.

Strangely enough, there are no names of Russian origin on our seaboard, although they plyed the fur trade at least in the extreme northern parts, and actually established a post as far south as San Francisco. It may be "off the record" but of interest to note many Russian names in the Southern Alaska panhandle end with "off," such as Baranof, Kupreanof.

The interior or land names follow a similar pattern to those of the coastal names, each period of exploration and phase of development is clearly indicated. From the paths blazed by McKenzie, Frazer, Thompson and Anderson, men stemmed and fanned out what might be called subsidiary explorations all in the interests of the great fur companies. A large portion of the nomenclature of the interior commemorates the officers and servants of the Northwest and Hudson's Bay trading companies, Work, Ogden, Stuart, Yale, Langley, McNeill, McLeod, McLoughlin, Simpson and Douglas, to mention but a few.

Again, the early ventures in the quest for gold and mining development, particularly in the Cariboo country, gave rise to colorful and well known place-names such as Hell's Gate, Boston Bar, and Barkerville; Antler, Williams and Cunningham Creeks, Jack O'Club Lake, and many others reminiscent of this hectic and colorful period.

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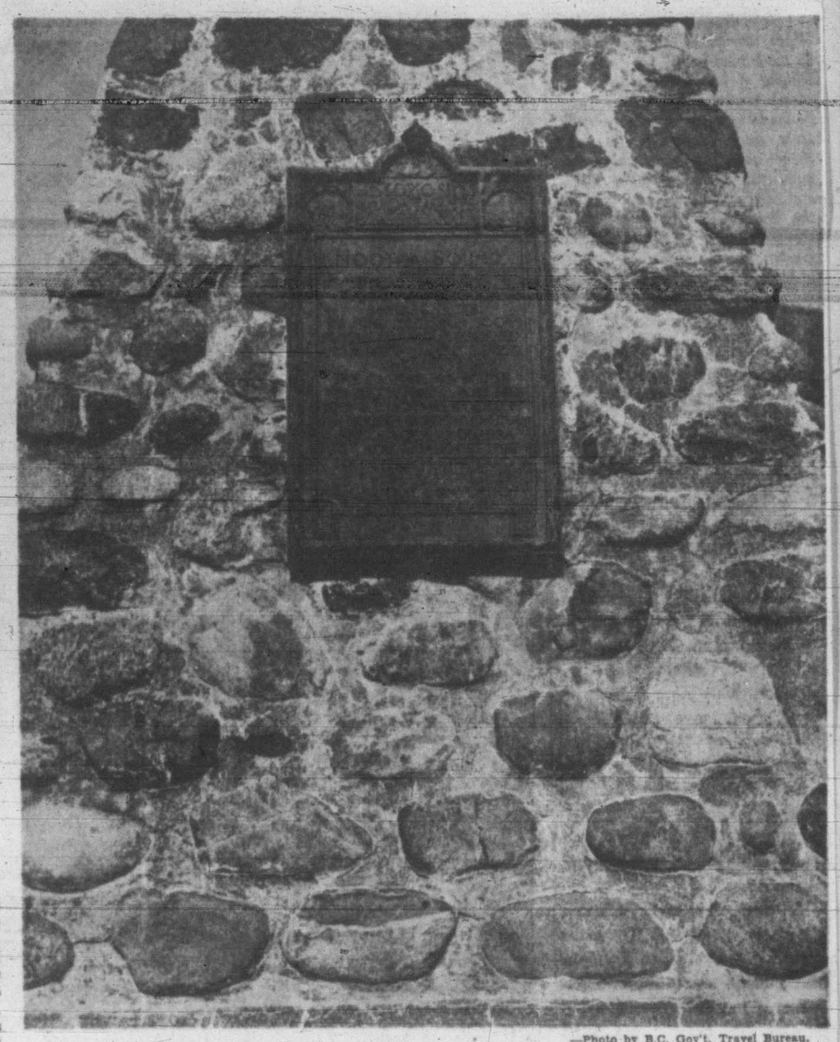
A familiar signpost on the Island Highway . . . Tourists always stop at this landmark in Ladysmith as it marks the point where the 49th Parallel of North Latitude crosses Vancouver Island. Ladysmith, which is situated on Oyster Harbor, came into existence in 1900 and was named by James Dunsmuir, who later became Premier and Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, after Ladysmith in South Africa, when he heard on March 1, 1900, of the relief of that town the previous day by the British Army. Ladysmith had been besieged from Nov. 2, 1899, by the Boers under Gen. Piet Joubert. Lt.-Gen. Sir George White with 9,000 troops held the town against tremendous odds.

THE excellent work of the Royal Engineers who, under Col. Moody (the first Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works) carried out surveys, construction work, and assisted in the establishment of law and order is recalled by the names Port Moody, Sapperton, Queensborough, New Westminster.

At later and contemporary dates, the names of captains of industry, engineers, men of science, of arts, and of world renown, notable naval and military events, persons prominent in national and provincial affairs, have been appended to geographical features of the province, and embellish her nomenclature. This principle is exemplified by the following names—Donald Smith, Fleming, Moberly, Geikie, Milton, Churchill, Vimy, Waterloo, Trafalgar, Sir John A. McDonald, Laurier, McBride and John Oliver.

The main feature names of our province commemorating the early explorers are rooted deep; time will not efface them and they are enduring monuments to the fine company of men who blazed the paths by sea and land. Such names as Sir Francis Drake, Captains James Cook and Vancouver, McKenzie, Fraser, Thompson, are names to be conjured with. They are written deep in the annals of our country. "By their deeds shall ye know them" can be applied here; giants in their own right, who, by their exploits, courage and resourcefulness, established British sovereignty in these parts and secured for us our heritage. Their names and those who followed in their paths are immortalized in our place-names and records forming the framework, the warp and woof of the nomenclature of British Columbia.



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The Memorial Cairn and Tablet at historic Nootka . . . Nootka Sound was discovered by Capt. James Cook in March, 1778. In June, 1789, Spain took possession and established and maintained a settlement until 1795. The capture of British vessels in 1789 almost led to war, which was avoided by the Nootka Convention, 1790. Vancouver and Quadra met at Nootka in August, 1792, to determine the land to be restored under that convention.

AROUND the name Cameronton a fine story of high adventure, success, failure, romance and tragedy, comes out of the Cariboo country during the rip-snorting days of the gold rush. John A. Cameron of Summertown, Glengarry County, Ont. (later known as Cariboo Cameron) arrived at Williams Creek accompanied by his wife Sophia in August, 1862, after a menacing and hazardous journey over the Fraser River trail.

Cameron was beset from the start by the poor showings of his first venture, the desertion of some co-partners and the death by typhoid of his beloved wife in October.

A tin lined casket was fashioned and 90 miners, all who had elected to winter in Cariboo, out of an estimated total of 8,000 attended the funeral service. The state of the ground of course, prohibited burial, and the casket was placed in a little shack. A second shaft was sunk, and as fortune would have it, on Dec. 22 rich pay-dirt was struck.

Still grieving and inconsolable, Cameron determined to fulfil his wife's dying wish to be buried in her native Cornwall, Ont.

IN JANUARY of the following year, with the casket lashed to a toboggan, he set out across country to Lillooet, thence to Port Douglas by the old Douglas-Lillooet trail, some 400 miles, every foot of which was gained only by unrelenting toil and in temperatures sometimes registering 50 deg. below. Reaching Victoria in March the casket was filled with alcohol and the second funeral took place.

Cameron immediately returned to the diggings and in October of the same year with a pack-train laden with gold, reputedly worth $350,000, headed for Victoria. Faithful to his promise, the casket was disinterred and in company with his life-long friend, Stevenson, set out for Cornwall via Panama and New York.

After great difficulties in clearing this most unusual consignment at New York — (the casket weighed 450 lbs.) — he reached Cornwall where Mrs. Cameron was accorded her third funeral.

A man of affluence now, Cameron remarried, but his life was tortured by persistent stories of the probable contents of the casket. The fame of Cariboo was world wide and one New York paper blatantly announced that he had taken this means to transport gold.

His proud and stubborn nature capitulated and the casket was again disinterred before a large concourse of people. The casket being punctured the alcohol trickled out; not content, an opening was made at the top exposing Sophia dead some 10 years, but her features as natural as in life. Outraged and embittered, Cameron had the casket removed to Summertown where his first love and devoted wife was interred for the fourth time. His fortune dissipated by business ventures and litigation, he returned undaunted at the age of 67 to his old stamping ground.

Finding the gravels washed clean to bedrock and with little hope of striking new ground, he became disconsolate and heart-broken, and shortly after, passed away in Joe Mason's Hotel in Barkerville. In the old graveyard at Cameronton a marble headstone marks his grave.

A SAGA of the high courage and discipline of British arms was recorded in our place-names, when in 1858 A. C. Anderson of the Hudson's Bay Co. named Birkenhead River and Seton Lake in honor of Col. Alex. Seton, commander of the 47th Regiment of the line on board the ill-fated troopship Birkenhead, which struck a submerged rock off the coast of West Africa on a night in February, 1853, and sank.

In the few lifeboats left intact many of the women, wives of the soldiers, and their children, were saved. When the ship broke near amidships the captain ordered abandon ship and to swim for it. To have done so would have endangered the few lifeboats afloat. The men stood in rank awaiting their colonel's orders which were withheld, holding rank until the deck was awash.

Four hundred and fifty-three men perished in this manner. Birkenhead is blazoned on the "colors" of several regiments, details of which were aboard the troopship.

Mt. Stalin is situated in northern B.C. However, it is flanked by Mt. Roosevelt and Churchill Peak, so in military parlance, the situation is contained.

Perhaps the commander of the Royal Engineers, Col. Richard Clement Moody, was not always the austere individual that history depicts. For he is responsible for the naming in 1862 of Lulu Island, which derives its name from Lulu Sweet, a young theatrical actress belonging to an early troup that visited the colony. Her conduct, acting and graceful manners gave great satisfaction and were appreciated to such an extent by her friends and patrons that the island was named after her.

There once was a Cariboo miner named Smith — nothing unusual about that in the 1860's in British Columbia—but this particular one was a bit of a gourmand. In fact pie, of any sort, was evidently his weakness, for he became dubbed with the nickname "Piebiter" and to this day Piebiter Smith is perpetuated in Piebiter Creek and Piebiter Mountain.

THE sporting interests of one of the early hydrographers on this coast is reflected in the area around the Thormanby islands. Capt. G. H. Richards in H.M. survey vessel Plumper was in the region in 1860. That year the winner of the Derby was Thormanby, owned by J. C. Merry. As a result we have Thormanby Islands, Merry Island, Derby Point, as well as Epsom Point, Buccaneer Bay (after a running mate of Thormanby), Tattenham Ledge (after the famous corner on the Epsom course of that name), to mention but a few of the associated place-names in the region.

Bridge At Its Best

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'DREAM PLAY' WINS 3 N.T. CONTRACT

THE other night Charles Lochridge, secretary of the Vanderbilt Cup Committee, said, "Mac, I finally found the dream hand." Here it is.

Lochridge (South) won the opening lead of the queen of spades with the ace and led the queen of clubs. West played the four-spot and East the five. The play of the five gave West the tipoff that Lochridge held just the king-queen-jack.

He continued with the jack of clubs, West went in with the ace and his partner played the three.

Now the club suit was established, but Lochridge still had to cash the king and get into dummy. In order to try to kill the entry into dummy West made the rare play known as the Deschappelles Coup. He led the king of hearts.

Now came Charlie's dream play. He did not go up with dummy's ace. He played the three-spot, and from his own hand threw the queen of hearts. When West continued with the six of hearts, Lochridge finessed the 10 in dummy. When it held he led the ace of hearts, discarding the king of clubs from his own hand, then cashed dummy's three good clubs.

I said, "Charlie, suppose that East had held the jack of hearts?" But Charlie replied, "I told you this was my dream hand."

North: ♠ 7 6 ♥ A 10 8 4 7 ♦ 5 ♣ 10 9 7 6 2
West: ♠ Q J 9 4 ♥ K J 9 6 ♦ K 7 ♣ A 8 4
East: ♠ 8 5 3 2 ♥ 7 2 ♦ Q J 10 4 3 ♣ 5 3
South: ♠ A K 10 ♥ Q 5 ♦ A 9 8 6 2 ♣ K Q J

Rubber—Neither vul.

South	West	North	East
1 ♦	Double	1 ♥	Pass
1 N.T.	Pass	2 ♣	Pass
2 N.T.	Pass	3 ♣	Pass
3 N.T.	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening—♠ Q 31

FREAK HAND POSES A BIDDING PROBLEM

North: ♠ A Q J 9 7 5 4 ♥ 8 ♦ 3 ♣ A K J 7
West: ♠ K 10 8 3 2 ♥ J 7 5 ♦ 5 ♣ Q 6 3 2
East: ♠ None ♥ A K 10 6 3 ♦ A 10 9 8 7 4 2 ♣ 3
South: ♠ 6 ♥ Q 9 4 2 ♦ K Q J 6 ♣ 10 9 8 4

Tournament—E-W vul.

South	West	North	East
Pass	Pass	4 ♠	Double

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THE 1948 Vanderbilt Cup tournament has been over now for several weeks. The winners were Robert Appleyard of Forest Hills, N.Y., Henry Sonenblick, Alexander Weiss and W. M. Lichtenstein of New York City and Jay T. Feigus of Brooklyn, N.Y.

The discussion of the hands is still going on in New York, and this hand was one.

What would you do with the East hand if North just in front of you opened the bidding with four spades? Some of the boys suggested five diamonds. You can see what happens to that. Henry Sonenblick made the winning bid. He doubled and his partner passed. They set the contract one trick.

The bidding at the other table: South and West passed and Robert Appleyard, North, opened two spades. Albert Wolf, East, bid three hearts, which South doubled. When it got around to Wolf again he bid five diamonds.

I later asked him why he jumped to five diamonds instead of bidding four. He replied that he was playing against a very fine player who had elected to open with a two-bid, thereby telling his partner that he could take ten tricks with spades as trumps. "When I bid three hearts, I would not have been surprised if the bidding had gone—three spades—pass—four spades. In that case I was perfectly willing to bid five diamonds. I decided to make the same bid even though they had not reached a game in spades. First of all, I had a possibility of making it; second, I might not get doubled; third, from my distribution I could not see much to stop the opponents from making five spades."

However, Mr. Wolf became the "goat" on this hand and Sonenblick the hero, because Wolf went down 800 points and Sonenblick set his opponents at four spades. As a result Sonenblicks team gained 900 points on the board.

WOULD YOU MAKE 4 SPADES ON THIS?

YOU may wonder why West bid a spade instead of doubling. If West had doubled East would have played the contract in spades and there would be no point to my story. However, when the hand was played West bid one spade and as a result he became declarer.

Suppose you found yourself playing the West hand at four spades. Would you make the contract?

The opening lead of the queen of clubs held the trick. North continued with the jack, which also held. The natural play for North was to continue with the eight of clubs. South played the king and declarer trumped with the five of spades.

North: ♠ 9 4 3 2 ♥ J 10 5 ♦ 8 7 6 ♣ Q J 8
West: ♠ A K J 5 ♥ A K 6 ♦ Q 5 3 2 ♣ 6 5
East: ♠ Q 10 8 7 ♥ Q 8 4 ♦ K 10 4 ♣ 10 4 2
South: ♠ 6 ♥ 9 7 3 2 ♦ A J 9 ♣ A K 9 7 3

Tournament—E-W vul.

South	West	North	East
1 ♣	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
3 ♣	4 ♣	Pass	Pass

Opening—♣ Q 12

West had lost two tricks, and it looked as if he might have to lose two diamonds. He cashed the ace and king of spades, then ran off three heart tricks. At trick nine he led the deuce of diamonds and went up with dummy's king. South won.

If South returned a club or a heart, declarer would trump with the jack of spades and win the last three tricks with his queen of diamonds and dummy's queen-ten of spades. However, South returned the nine of diamonds, and declarer had only one play. He had to let it ride to dummy's ten.

The contract could have been defeated if North had shifted to a diamond instead of playing the third club. But that is what is called a "double dummy" play. The problem in bridge is to make the most of every opportunity given you, and that is what declarer did.

An Oscar For Home-Making

By ERSKINE JOHNSON

HOLLYWOOD—If they ever decide to hand out an Oscar for home-making in Hollywood, George Montgomery and Mrs. Montgomery—"I'm Dinah Shore at the studio ONLY"—are my candidates.

George and Dinah bought six acres and a broken-down farm house in San Fernando Valley during the war. Now it looks like something out of the movies. George helped build everything, including every stick of furniture, a hobby on which he's now commercializing.

The place in early America in modern splendor, reflecting a Hollywood couple's design for living that is seldom publicized. And now it's complete with their three-month-old daughter, Melissa Ann, who could easily win a Hollywood beauty contest.

"George made only one mistake," Dinah told me. "All the stepping stones on the place are geared to his gait and he takes the biggest steps I've ever seen. We've got 650 stepping stones, but I've never been able to reach 300 of them."

George is doing some stepping on the screen these days, too. He'll probably top his prewar popularity opposite Dottie Lamour in "Lulu Belle."

A LOSS FOR M-G-M

Dorothy Lamour has canceled plans for that ear surgery at John Hopkins. A series of x-rays proved the trouble is caused by an allergy, on which doctors are now working with gratifying results. . . . Wallace Beery's next picture at M-G-M may be his last. After all these years, Wally has a hankering to free-lance.

Cary Grant and director Anatole Litvak are plotting a French Foreign Legion story, "Sirocco." Oscar Homolka follows up his "I Remember Mama" success with the star role in Jean Renoir's next, "Night Music."

Nostalgic notes: Gloria Jean revives the Grace Moore number, "I'll Take Romance," in "Sweetheart of the Blues." . . .

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While Martha Raye is in England she may be persuaded to take over the Nancy Walker role in the London company of "Look Ma, I'm Dancin'."

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M-G-M is paging Bing Crosby for the co-starring role opposite Judy Garland in "Annie Get Your Gun." . . . Paramount will re-make "Death Takes a Holiday." . . . Economy note: The film version of "One Touch of Venus" wound up $100,000 under the budget. It's the biggest saving ever recorded in the filming of a top stage hit.

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Hollywood will produce 23 films, at a cost of $30,000,000, in England during the next year under provisions of the Anglo-American film agreement.

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There may be hair-pulling at Columbia. The studio bought "Born Yesterday" for Rita Hayworth, then announced Lucille Ball for it. Now, with Evelyn Keyes clicking in "The Mating of Millie," she may get the role. All three ladies want the story.

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Olga San Juan and Pat Knowles are the latest contract casualties at Paramount. . . . M-G-M is talking about buying the Taylor Caldwell novel, "This Side of Innocence," for Lana Turner and Bob Taylor.

Home Decorating Easy Even On Small Budget

Unpromising entrance to the warehouse, top left, leads to the luxurious studio of Edith Lutyens, New York costume designer, which she decorated herself. Examples of her ingenious ideas, pictured above, are the rug made by binding squares of second-hand carpeting, and the pale blue painted wicker furniture. Left, Miss Lutyens covers a wall with cheesecloth; sprays with paint and stencils on design, lower left. Below, posed in front of a wall mural she made from old bathroom mirrors, Miss Lutyens stitches bound carpet squares together.

Convert Second-Hand Pieces Into Useful Furnishings

NEW YORK—Best way to triumph over a small budget for home decorating is to case second-hand shops (or even junk piles) for pieces which can be converted into useful and decorative furnishings.

Instead of allowing a limited budget to stifle your urge to fix up your home, join that host of clever women over the country who are meeting the challenge of postwar scarcities and high prices with ingenious tricks.

Cited in particular are the projects of Edith Lutyens, costume designer for many Broadway hits, which she uses to transform one floor of an old warehouse into a luxuriously furnished studio and workshop.

Any one of Edith Lutyens' projects—beginning with handsome floor coverings made out of squares of second-hand carpeting and ending with "paper" of stenciled cheese cloth on grim warehouse walls—offers food for thought and concrete ideas for home furnishings which you can duplicate.

CARPET SQUARES BOUND

If you need a new rug to which your budget says "no," try Miss Lutyens' trick of covering floors with squares of second-hand carpeting. After cutting her second-hand grey-green floor covering into uniform squares—she did this so as to eliminate the badly worn spots—Miss Lutyens bound each square with strips of cotton velveteen. Three different colors were used for bindings so as to bring odds and ends of velveteen remnants into an all-over mosaic pattern.

After the squares were bound by machine-stitching the velveteen in place, they were joined together along the edges by hand-sewing at the back with a large needle and stout thread.

If, like Miss Lutyens, you have a hopeless-looking wall which presents a problem to paper or paint, don't think that your room must continue to be an eyesore. A cheesecloth covering offers a solution to your problem and is one that you can solve for a much smaller expenditure if you'll put it on with your own clever hands as though it were wallpaper, using paste pot, thumb tacks and strips of selvedged cloth.

Miss Lutyens covered walls with wallpaper paste and thumb-tacked the broad strips of starched cheesecloth taut against the paste-coated surfaces. When dry, tacks were removed and cheesecloth sprayed with a casein-type paint to give it an opaque all-concealing finish.

STENCILING CHEESECLOTH

To add a pattern to a cheesecloth-covered wall, cut out a cardboard stencil, Miss Lutyens says, and thumb-tack it in place on the painted cheesecloth. Then fill in the design with paint of a contrasting color.

Old rectangular-shaped bathroom mirrors bought for a song from a junk dealer can be converted into useful and handsome wall decorations. Miss Lutyens' trick of making a "mural" of such mirrors to dramatize a wall is worth the effort it takes to copy. She put strips of molding around the exposed edges of the old frames to bring mirrors together into a wall pattern and to give the effect of a professional finish. Frames and molding were then painted grey.

Need some new chairs? Miss Lutyens solved the problem by picking up wicker chairs and settees at second-hand sales. These she sprayed with pale blue paint and added seat pads which were made from more richly colored velveteen. So treated, the chairs look like fabulous antiques.

About Rugs

Before you put down any cash for floor coverings, know your stuff about rugs.

In a wool rug, density of pile is the most important single factor in determining durability. Rug pile is made up of tufts of woolen yarn held together by backing yarn. Look first for closeness of weave—that is, the number of tufts or rows of wool to the inch. Count them on the back of the rug. If the count is around eight or nine tufts to the inch, the rug is high quality.

Whether pile is long or short it should be thick and springy to the touch.

In choosing a color, carpet manufacturers recommend selecting a shade slightly more intense than the one you had planned to select. Rugs and carpets, they explain, "gray down" after a few weeks' use.

Daylight Bulbs Ease Housework

Daylight bulbs for the home laundry centre make for better laundering more easily done.

The white light given off by these bulbs of blue glass is much more like natural daylight than the yellowish light from ordinary bulbs. It makes spots and stains easier to detect, and it reduces scorching during ironing. The first yellow tinge of a scorch shows up more clearly. A daylight bulb is often an advantage in sewing also, for it shows up true colors in thread and material.

Daylight bulbs nowadays come in either fluorescent or regular incandescent fixtures, and they cost only a little more than ordinary bulbs. To get the same amount of light from a daylight bulb as from a regular one, wattage must be increased by one half. When a 100-watt ordinary bulb has been satisfactory over the washer or ironing board, for example, a 150-watt daylight bulb will be needed.

Tricks In Floral Decoration

Curving stems of calla lilies make more graceful arrangement. Gently rubbing stem with hand produces the arch. Silver wedding anniversary decoration, right, made of birch twigs hung with silver bells and gardenias wired in place. The base, set in a silver paper covered bowl, is banked with flowers.

NEW YORK—Mix a few out-of-the-ordinary tricks in with your garden-plucked flowers, and turn a commonplace arrangement into an impressive display.

Here are the tricks. They come courtesy of experts of The Florist Telegraph Delivery Association. Expert-stylist Irma Smith explains how easy it is for you to graduate from amateur to professional with a few simple tricks.

Take, first, those stiff-spined flowers—gladioli and calla lilies—which usually resist a woman's best efforts to "arrange." These, says Miss Smith, needn't stand as straight as pokers in tall vases. They can be put in low bowls; can be firmly anchored to pin-type flower holders.

To arch stems and make flowers sway out gracefully from a low bowl, rub the stalk gently. Allow the warmth and pull of your hand to soften up the juicy stem where you want it to bend. To keep these "centerpiece" beauties from obstructing the view of your dinner guests, cut stems in graduated lengths.

Moreover, top-heavy blossoms like these and others that you stick in flower holders won't topple over to bruise their heads and spill water on furniture if you'll use a stabilizing trick which florists use. That's to daub soft modeling clay over the base and around the edge of the flower holder, letting it serve as a "stickum" that temporarily seals flower holder to the flattest plate or shallowest bowl.

HEAVY FLOWERS

Here's another trick explained by Miss Smith for keeping heavy or bulky flowers in their arranged place. Crumple up large-meshed chicken wire, push it into the vase and thread the posy stems through it.

A special occasion decoration created by flower experts for a silver wedding anniversary offers another lesson in professional know-how. Using twigs, sprayed white and placed in an ordinary china bowl, covered with silver paper, decorate with silver bells and white gardenias. Attach by wiring to the twigs at varying heights. Violets and more gardenias may be banked at the base to hide the flower holder.

As Miss Smith points out, this arrangement could be duplicated, using other kinds of white flowers—carnations, for example. Flowers can later be unwired and presented to the guests as corsages, she suggests.

More tips suggest ways to lengthen the life of cut flowers. An orchid bought for a special occasion can be preserved for a second or third wearing, if you'll take the ribbon off, turn the blossom upside down and let the petals rest in a small saucer of water overnight in the icebox.

Salvage full-blown roses from premature discard, says Miss Smith, by nipping off the stems at the base of the bloom and floating the blossoms in a shallow bowl of water.

Tightly closed tulip buds should be opened for decorative purposes—an arrangement that mixes buds and open flowers is prettier, says the stylist, than an all-bud bouquet. To open the bud, put your thumb under a petal and curl each petal back gently over the forefinger.

Interesting Combination Of Old Favorites

Novel Cakes Key April Parties

Rich black chocolate cake lends magic to April birthdays.

Any birthday coming up in your house soon?

BLACK MAGIC BIRTHDAY CAKE

Four squares unsweetened chocolate, 4 tablespoons shortening, 2 cups sugar, 2 egg yolks, 1¾ cups milk, ¾ teaspoon salt, 2 cups sifted cake flour, 1 teaspoon vanilla, 1 teaspoon soda.

Melt chocolate and shortening in top of a 2-quart double boiler. Remove from boiling water and cool to lukewarm. Then add sugar and mix well. Combine egg yolks with 1 cup of the milk; add to chocolate mixture and blend. Add salt and flour and beat 1 minute or until smooth. Add vanilla and ½ cup more of the milk and stir until smooth. Dissolve soda in remaining ¼ cup milk. Stir quickly into matter. (Batter will be thin.) Turn into two 9-inch layer pans which have been lined on bottoms with paper, then greased. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) 30 minutes, or until done. The delicacy of this cake calls for a delicate frosting such as seven-minute. For an all-chocolate cake, melt a square or two of chocolate in seven-minute frosting.

CIRCUS PARADE BIRTHDAY CAKE

One-half cup shortening, ½ teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon vanilla, ¾ cup sugar, 2 eggs, separated, ⅔ cup sifted flour, 2½ teaspoons baking powder, 16 graham crackers, finely rolled (1½ cups), ¾ cup milk, animal crackers.

Combine shortening, salt and vanilla. Add sugar gradually; cream together thoroughly. Add egg yolks; beat well. Sift together flour and baking powder; mix with graham cracker crumbs. Add these dry ingredients, alternately with milk, to creamed mixture until all are added. Beat egg whites stiff; fold in carefully to batter. Line wo 8-inch layer cake pans with waxed paper on bottom and grease pans on sides; fill pans equally with batter; bake in moderately hot oven (375 degrees F.) for 25 minutes. Cool layers 10 minutes; remove from pans to wire rack. To decorate, fill and frost layers with boiled frosting. Arrange animal crackers, candy mints and marshmallows on top of cake to make "wagons." Arrange crackers, too, in ring around bottom of cake.

For Delicious Spring Candy Use Wholesome Molasses

The days of sulphur and molasses for a spring tonic have passed. But the taste for home-made candy is still with us. So let's do something sweet and wholesome about it.

PEANUT BRITTLE

Two tablespoons butter, 1 cup sugar, ½ cup molasses, 1 teaspoon soda, 1½ cups roasted peanuts.

Melt butter, add sugar and mix well. Gradually add molasses in a thin stream, stirring constantly. Continue cooking to 300 degrees F. or until a small amount of syrup becomes very brittle in cold water. Remove from the heat and stir in soda. Quickly add peanuts. Pour in a very thin sheet onto a large greased cookie pan or marble slab. When cool enough to handle, lift edges and stretch candy as thin as possible. When cold, break into pieces. (Makes about 1¼ pounds.)

SURPRISE CARAMELS

One cup sugar, ¾ cup molasses, ⅛ teaspoon salt, ½ cup butter, ½ cup light cream or undiluted evaporated milk, 1 teaspoon vanilla, 2 ounces salted almonds.

Mix all ingredients in a saucepan except vanilla and almonds. Cook slowly to 250 degrees F. in winter or to 255 degrees F. in summer, or until a small amount of syrup forms a firm ball in cold water. Remove from heat. Add vanilla. Pour syrup onto buttered platter or cookie pan. Cool. When cool enough to handle, cut caramels into 1¼-inch to 1½-inch squares. Place one whole salted almond in centre of each square. Roll caramel into a ball between your hands, keeping almond in the centre of each square. Do one piece at a time. When all the kisses are made, wrap each in waxed paper. (Makes 1¼ pounds.)

MOLASSES FUDGE

Two cups sugar, ½ cup molasses, ⅛ teaspoon salt, ½ cup light cream or undiluted evaporated milk, 3 tablespoons butter, 1 teaspoon vanilla.

Mix all ingredients except vanilla in a 2-squart saucepan. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly, to 240 degrees F. or until syrup forms a soft ball in cold water. Remove from heat. Cool. Add vanilla and beat until firm. Pour into a lightly buttered pan. Cut into squares when almost cold. (Makes about 1 pound.)

Eggs A La King

Two tablespoons minced onion, 3 tablespoons fat, ½ cup mushrooms (sliced), 1 tablespoon chooped green pepper, 3 tablespoons flour, 1½ cups milk, salt and pepper, 6 hard-cooked eggs, 1 egg yolk.

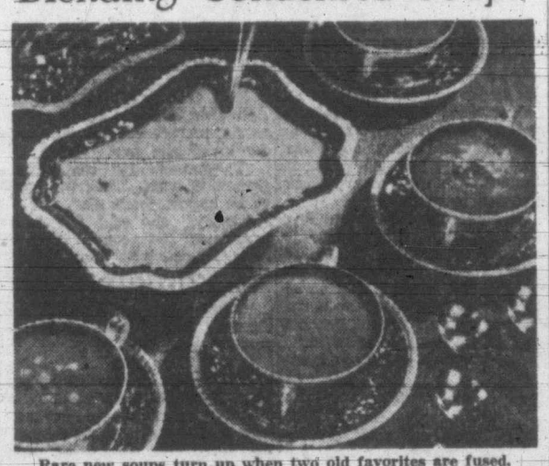
Cook onion in fat five minutes. Add mushrooms and green pepper and cook until mushrooms are delicately browned. Blend in flour. Add milk and cook, stirring constantly, until mixture thickens. Cook 10 minutes. Add seasoning and hard-cooked eggs, cut in quarters. Pour some of the sauce over beaten egg yolk and stir into sauce. Cook one minute. Serve on toast. One-half cup green peas may be added in place of green pepper and pimiento. (Six servings.)

Corn Puff

Two egg yolks, 1 cup milk, 2 cups corn (cream style), 1 teaspoon salt, ½ teaspoon pepper, 1 cup minced ham, 2 egg whites.

Beat egg yolks, add milk, corn, salt and pepper. Beat well, add ham and fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Oven-poach in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.) for 40 minutes. (Six servings.)

Blending Condensed Soups



Rare new soups turn up when two old favorites are fused.

Soup blending is a cooking game you can play to suit your fancy. Take any two kinds of canned condensed soups and try your own hand at this culinary pastime. Here's a formula to go by: Combine undiluted contents of two cans of condensed soup and blend well. Stirring constantly, heat to boiling. Stir and simmer for one minute. Gradually add 2 cans water and blend well. Heat to boiling point, stirring occasionally.

There are practical aspects to this merging, too: Three varieties take the place of two. Mergers require no extra time to do. And nutritional double-headers result. Here are some combinations:

Condensed cream of tomato soup + condensed cream of mushroom soup = tomato bisque.

Condensed cream of green pea soup + condensed cream of tomato soup = vegetable potage.

Condensed cream of mushroom soup + condensed cream of green pea soup = cream of mushroom and pea soup.

Condensed vegetable soup without meat + condensed chicken noodle soup = minestrone soup.

Condensed cream of mushroom soup + condensed chicken noodle soup = chicken mushroom soup.

Condensed cream of asparagus soup + condensed cream of mushroom soup = mushroom asparagus soup.

Condensed cream of tomato soup + condensed cream of celery soup = tomato celery soup.

Peanut Butter Bread, Good!

Two cups flour, 4 teaspoons baking powder, ½ teaspoon salt, ¼ cup sugar, ½ cup peanut butter, 1½ cups milk, 1 cup chopped dates.

Sift first four ingredients together. Add peanut butter and mix in as for biscuits; add milk to make soft batter and beat thoroughly. Add dates. Put in greased loaf pan, smooth top and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.) about one hour. This is best when day old.

Vegetable Dishes Improved With Cheese And Egg Sauce

For a well-balanced meatless meal in one dish, combine assorted cooked, leftover or canned beans with milk, cheese and eggs.

CASSEROLE OF VEGETABLES

One cup scalded milk, ¾ cup soft bread crumbs, 3 tablespoons melted butter, 1 cup grated cheese, 1 tablespoon finely chopped onion, ½ teaspoon salt, dash of pepper, 2 eggs, well-beaten; 1 cup cooked or canned vegetables (peas, beans, carrots, etc.).

Pour scalded milk over bread crumbs. Add butter, cheese, onion, salt and pepper; blend in beaten eggs and vegetables. Turn into greased 8-inch baking dish. Set in pan of hot water, having water 1 inch deep. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) 1 hour. (Four servings.)

Here's another satisfying meatless dish for your file of meatless protein dishes.

EGGS BAKED IN CHEESE SAUCE

Three tablespoons butter, 3 tablespoons all-purpose flour, ¾ teaspoon salt, dash of pepper, 1 teaspoon dry mustard, 1½ cups milk, 1 cup grated cheese, 6 eggs, 2 cups wheat flakes, 1 tablespoon melted butter.

Melt 3 tablespoons butter, add flour, and seasonings. Stir to a smooth paste. Add milk, gradually; cook over low heat, stirring constantly, until thickened. Add cheese and stir until melted. Cover bottom of greased pan, 10x6x2 inches, with half of the sauce. Carefully break eggs into sauce; cover with remaining sauce. Crush cereal flakes into fine crumbs, mix with remaining butter. Sprinkle crumbs over top. Bake in a slow oven (325 degrees F.) about 30 minutes.

When seedless raisins are to be used in cookies, soak them for a few minutes in hot water, then drain and add them to the cooky dough. The baked cookies will seem more moist and fruity.

Rhubarb Long Cake

Three cups raw sliced rhubarb; ½ cup sugar; 1½ cups sifted all-purpose flour, or 1⅝ cups sifted pastry flour; 3 teaspoons baking powder; ¼ cup sugar; ½ teaspoon salt; ¼ cup shortening; 1 egg; ½ cup milk.

Topping: Three tablespoons shortening; 3 tablespoons sugar; 2 tablespoons flour.

Sprinkle the ½ cup sugar over prepared rhubarb, let stand. Mix and sift flour, baking powder, sugar and salt. Cut in shortening using pastry blender or two knives. Beat egg, add milk and stir into flour mixture, blending well. Spread dough in a greased 8x6 inch cake pan. Cover with sweetened fruit.

Topping: Cream together fat, sugar and flour and sprinkle over fruit. Bake in a hot oven 400 degrees F., about 45 minutes. Six to eight servings.

Baked Ham Slice

One slice uncooked ham, 1-in. thick (about 1½ lbs.); 2 teaspoons dry mustard; ¼ cup brown sugar; 2 teaspoons vinegar; 10-12 whole cloves; 1 cup milk or fruit juice.

Trim the rind off the ham and place in shallow baking dish. Mix mustard, sugar and vinegar together and spread over ham; stick with cloves. Pour milk or fruit juice around meat. Bake, uncovered, in a moderately slow oven, 325 degrees F., until tender—about one hour. Six servings.

Paint spots that have dried will have to be softened with turpentine or scraped off. Scraping, however, will mar a painted or varnished surface. Paint spots on unfinished or oiled wood dry very fast because the wood absorbs the liquid. Hence, such woods must be well protected and any chance spots wiped up immediately.

Capt. Dingle . . . .

Sammy Says He Was Sitting On Top Of The World When He Flew

By JANE ARDOE

IT WAS ONE of those lovely clear afternoons when you can see Port Angeles so clearly from Dallas Road. The wavelets in the Strait were dancing in the sunlight and the seagulls were coasting along without moving their wings. It was a real Victoria spring day and Capt. Dingle and I sat on our favorite seat on the Dallas Road waterfront without saying a word. We were taking in the beauty and peacefulness of the scene.

Then all of a sudden there was boisterous shouting behind us and we recognized the voices of Sammy and Joie. They had several other boys with them. They almost hit our feet as they sprawled on the ground.

Before they could say anything there was an ear-splitting roar over on our right and we all looked. A grey object was racing out of Esquimalt harbor and we knew it was a plane.

"Wonder what plane it is?" asked Joie.

"Perhaps a navy plane, one of the Americans over on a visit," said Bert, a new boy. "Sure ain't a land plane."

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THE PLANE was rising rapidly and turned to pass directly over us.

"He's sure going someplace in a hurry," said Joie.

"Naw, he's just going at his regular speed, it's a Gruman," said Bert. "Yep, they call it a Goose. See, it's got two engines and is a flying boat. They got a bigger one than that they call the Mallard. According to my flying book it's a lovely ship."

"Say, you know something about planes, hey?" said Sammy to Bert.

"Oh, yes, I get a kick out of it," said Bert. "You see my brother Joe was a pilot in the R.C.A.F. and he won a medal for his bombing raids. He taught me a lot about planes and he helps me make model ones. I'm getting a gas motor to put in one of my bigger ones. That's why I'm getting a paper route so as to get the money."

"A very industrious young man," said Capt. Dingle. "That's what I like to see in a boy. In my days boys made mode's of sailing boats but today you young ones are so air-minded I don't blame you not thinking about boats."

"I WAS quite interested in the way you indentified that plane, Bert," went on Capt. Dingle. "You're right, it was a Goose. How do I know? Well, I'll tell you. The other afternoon I happened to be calling on an old friend of mine down at View Royal—you know, just over the Four Mile Hill. I'd never been down this particular spot before and I found a lovely little bay. The Westinghouse Airways have a float there and have a couple of planes that they call Seabees; rather unusual looking planes.

"While I was sitting there with my friend we heard a racket aloft. Looking up we saw this fast-moving plane coming in for a landing. It seemed to be skimming the tree-tops; then went passed us like a streak of lightning. It landed out in the harbor and then taxied up to the float.

"A MAN ACROSS the bay waved his arms and shouted to the pilot. He said the plane had come within ten feet of his aerial and not to come in so low again. The pilot said that if he'd been that close he'd have blown the aerial down. There certainly is an awful blowback from those propellors.

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"I WAS quite interested in the pilot and asked him if I could see inside the plane. I'm not overly fussy about planes but I like to see what they've made of. I had to duck my head and bend this old back of mine. There were six seats inside and when I looked in the cockpit and saw all the instruments I thanked my lucky stars I'd been in charge of a sailing ship and not a plane. All I had was a compass and a sextant and knew the stars. We got there alright. But the pilot of an airplane has more switches and dials and gadgets to look at than I'd ever seen before. He's an engineer as well as a pilot and he's got to act quick and fast because he doesn't get second chances.

"I got to chatting with the pilot and asked him if he'd flown far. He wasn't very big and he could have walked under my arm. But he said he'd flown about 9,000 hours; isn't that a lot of time to have spent up in the air. And he'd flown everywhere. Before the war he flew in the Arctic. Then in the war he was a squadron-leader in the R.C.A.F. and was in the transport flying. He flew Flying Fortresses across planes out to India and Burma. He said he'd even flown over the Burma Road and over the Hump, that's what they called the route over the mountains into China. He just mentioned all this in a matter-of-fact way and I developed a great admiration for him. I compared all this to my days in square-riggers. But I always had a deck under my feet and even when the wind blew hard I always felt safe.

"I mentioned to the pilot my feeling and he said that he never was afraid when he was flying and always had something under his feet. I told him a few of my experiences and he laughed and then he mentioned something that happened to him last winter.

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"HE WAS FLYING across to the Queen Charlotte Islands, where the weather is liable to do anything. It was the same day that an American freighter was driven ashore there and over 40 men lost their lives. Well, my friend the pilot, said he hadn't been in the air long before the plane was turned upside down. He said you can't tell how hard the wind is blowing when you're in a plane; all you get is your air speed.

"He didn't know what was happening and he fought to regain control of his plane. He lost a lot of height but finally came back on an even keel. Then he noticed something white in the air and thought it must be a piece of cloud. But instead it was the white top of a wave which the wind had whipped up into the air. He dodged it.

"As he told me the story he didn't seem the least concerned but I was feeling queer inside. He also told me that on his way back from the Queen Charlottes he figured it would take him two hours to cross the open water of Hecate Strait. He had hoped to get across before dark but he didn't pick up land when he expected. Three hours went by and still no land. In another half hour he picked up a lighthouse and felt relieved. When he landed at Port Hardy he found he had bucked a 70-mile-an-hour gale all the way. He said it was right on his nose."

"I'VE HEARD my brother tell some grim stories about their night flights over Germany," said Bert. "But they won't scare me. I'm going to be a pilot."

"Me too," chimed in Sammy. "Had my first flight during the Easter holidays. My Dad took me to Vancouver. I liked it best when we got above the clouds. The air was bumpy after we took off and I was glad I had a safety belt around me.

"Clouds look different when you get above them. Soft, just like cotton-batting. They seem flat, just like we were using them for a runway. The sun shone so clear and there wasn't a cloud between us and the heavens. Things seemed so different. It was like another world. I could have stayed up there. I sure was sitting on top of the world.

"When we came out of the clouds there was the world below us. A man pointed and said, 'That's Active Pass.' We could see one of the C.P.R. boats heading into it. It looked about as big as a match."

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"HOW'D YOU GET your dad to take you on the flight?" asked Louie, another new boy. "Gosh, I'd like to get one."

"Oh, I kind of caught my dad off first base," said Sammy. "He said if I'd do all the jobs without complaining the next time he went away he'd take me over to Vancouver. Well, I sure worked that one. I cut wood, kindling, did some housework for mother and she gave a good report to my dad when he came back. But she didn't know what dad had promised me. When she found out she said she thought I was too young to fly. I could see she was nervous, but dad said planes are safe nowadays. So she said I could go."

"Your mother was a good sport," said Capt. Dingle. "But remember mothers always have to take care of you when you are sick or hurt and sometimes they seem like wet-blankets. But they're always thinking of your welfare, which reminds me that it's getting along towards supper time and I'd better get along and lend Sarah Ann a hand. Wouldn't be a bad idea if you boys all hustled home and helped your mothers, too. What do you say?"

What could we say. We went.

'Hi-Ya Fellas,' Shout The Fence-Sitters

Cameraman Bill Halkett found these youngsters parked comfortably on a fence in the Head Street district on a fine day this week. They've seen some friends and are waving to them. Left to right, the children in the picture are Murray Brasser, Adele Margaret Sennot, Kenny Barker, Grant Barker, Bobby Ashe and David Farris.

Uncle Ray..

"HAVE YOU had a dream?"

This question, asked by an Indian, was addressed to a man of middle age, a Frenchman by the name of Champlain. This Frenchman was one of the early explorers of our continent.

Time and again the question had been put to Champlain, but he had denied that he had had any dreams. The Indians—composing a small Algonquin war party of 60 braves—had ascended the Richelieu River and were now in the long, narrow body of water destined to be called Lake Champlain.

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THE red men listened for Champlain's reply, and this time he said:

"Yes, I had a dream last night!"

Eagerly they listened as he continued:

"I saw our enemies, the Iroquois, in the lake. They were near the mountainous shore, but they were drowning within our sight. When I wished to save them, my comrades would not let me do so—they said that we must let the Iroquois die."

This rejoiced the warriors. They said that it was a good omen, and that the enemy surely would be defeated.

So far, no Iroquois had been seen, but there was every probability that they would be found. This beautiful lake had been the scene of many bloody contests between the Iroquois and their hated rivals from the north.

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AS the party moved into the southern end of the lake, where the enemies were most likely to appear, the canoes were paddled only during darkness, with rests on the shore during the daytime.

At last came an exciting night. Passing around a projecting piece of land, at about 10 o'clock, Champlain and his companions caught sight of a party of Iroquois!

Loud cries burst from both sides, and weapons were made ready, but the actual fight did not start then. The Iroquois paddled their canoes ashore, and began to cut down trees. They were building a barricade.

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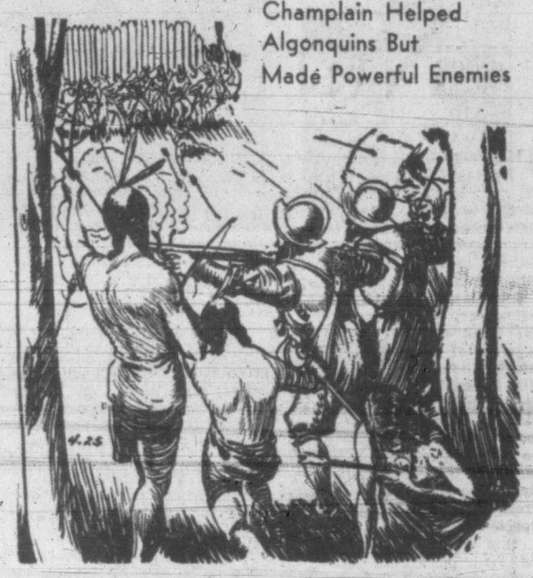
THE start of the fighting did not take place until morning. Then a surprise came to the Iroquois. As they came out of their barricade, they believed that they were well guarded from arrows by a kind of armor made of cotton and wood which they wore. There were wild cries by the warriors of both sides.

Suddenly Champlain, having loaded his arquebus with four balls, and having taken careful aim, fired. Two Iroquois chiefs fell to the ground. Two other white men with Champlain also fired, and the Iroquois warriors turned and fled. For the first time they had learned about the dreadful firearms of the whites.

That was a victory for Champlain and the Algonquins, but it did a great deal to block the French from holding power over what is now the United States. It made the powerful Iroquois tribes their deadly enemies. Later, after they had obtained firearms for themselves, they helped the British in the French and Indian war.

Champlain Helped Algonquins But Made Powerful Enemies



After placing four balls in his arquebus, Champlain fired.

He's Good 'cause He's Like Dad

By EUNICE H. BRAUN

JOHN WESTROM'S rough hands shook as he fumbled with his new tie. Old fool, he told himself. Only women cried at weddings.

It wasn't just that Betty would be living far away. He had grown used to loneliness. It was her happiness that weighed on his mind.

This Bill Howard, was he all right for her?

John wished that he might have known Bill longer. He ought to know more about his background, his family; something that would give him a key to the boy's character. Bill was intelligent and he looked steady enough, a nice-looking lad, too. He could see why Betty would be attracted.

But was that enough? What was different about Bill from any of the other young fellows he knew, many of whom managed to wreck their marriages? Was this marriage another result of the pace of the world today, or was it built of lasting timber?

John sighed and looked at the photo of his wife on the dresser.

For awhile, after Anna had died, he and Betty had been close. He wished he could have had one good talk with her. Once this morning, he had found her alone, unwrapping gifts. She looked so young, so vulnerable. He wanted to say something to her that would be more substantial than the gift of silver he had let her choose for herself. But, looking at the array, all he could say was, "That's a lot of loot for one small bride."

Betty's eyes glowed. "Everyone's been so wonderful!"

John awkwardly fingered a crystal bowl. "It's because they all like you. They want to start you off right."

That was a little nearer to it. Perhaps now he could talk to her the way he wanted to. He said, "Wish I could have known Bill longer. He seems like a good lad—"

Betty laughed. "Oh, I've known him forever. Don't look so serious, darling. Six months is forever, if you really love someone. Sorry, I haven't time to talk. There's a hundred things to do."

Now, in a few minutes, he would give her away to a man he knew almost nothing about, that he hadn't even met until a few weeks ago.

Once more John loosened his tie and started over. When he finished it still didn't look right, but he put on his vest and coat, fumbled with the flower he was supposed to wear.

He glanced at his watch. Five minutes, and he must be ready to drive to the church. He looked again at the photograph and spoke aloud, "Anna, I tried to make everything right for Betty, like you wanted it. But I'm not sure about young folks at all."

There was a knock and his sister Edith put her head in. "Are you ready, John?"

"I'll be right down." He took a last look in the mirror and grinned. "You look pretty snazzy, old boy," he thought. He hadn't given so much attention to his appearance in years.

Suddenly the door opened and Betty was before him, her face glowing. "How do I look, Daddy? I wanted you to have the first glimpse."

John couldn't believe that Betty, his little girl, could be this lovely, mature woman. "Kiss me for luck," she said.

"I want—" He cleared his throat. "I wish—I just want you to be happy, that's all."

"Daddy," she said, her smile confident, "of course I'll be happy. Don't you know why?" John shook his head. They were so sure of themselves these days.

"I know I'll be happy, Daddy. Because you're the one who's really chosen Bill."

He stared at her.

"You're the standard Bill's had to measure up to. I always knew I would never marry any man unless he came close to measuring up to you. Oh Daddy, can't you see that Bill is—well, he's fine and good, like you."

She kissed his cheek and turned away, but in a moment she came back. "Your tie," she said. "It—it looks awful. There, now you look wonderful, like Sir Galahad. You'll steal the whole show!"

All the way to the church John held Betty's hand in his. He felt happy and proud now, wanting others to see how beautiful his daughter looked.

Later, in a hushed solemn moment, he saw Bill standing tall and straight beside Betty, his face anxious and a little nervous. Betty's words came back to him—"he's fine and good, like you. You're the one who's chosen Bill."

Pride and gratitude swelled in John. "It's all right, Anna," he whispered softly, "Bill and Betty—they're going to be all right."

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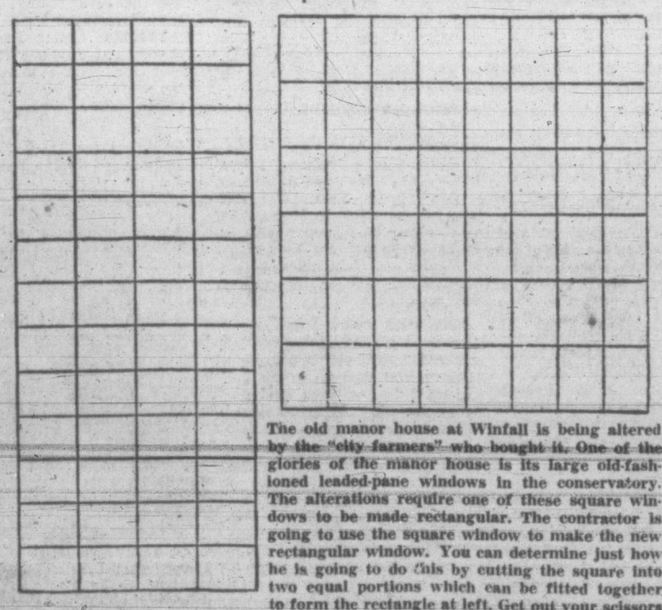
This Problem Is On The Square



The old manor house at Winfall is being altered by the "city farmers" who bought it. One of the glories of the manor house is its large old-fashioned leaded-pane windows in the conservatory. The alterations require one of these square windows to be made rectangular. The contractor is going to use the square window to make the new rectangular window. You can determine just how he is going to do this by cutting the square into two equal portions which can be fitted together to form the rectangle at left. Get out your scissors and try it. (See answer on this page.)

Square Problem

Solution: Cut the square board the distance of the first four sections along the second horizontal line from the bottom, then upwards the distance of two sections and next to the right along the second horizontal line from the top, the distance of four sections. The resulting two pieces can be fitted together to form the rectangle, as you will find.

Science of Archeology Is Interesting Field

Here is the main part of a letter from one of our readers:

"I am a 10-year-old girl. My name is Barbara Anderson. When I grow up, I would like to be an archeologist. I would like very much if you would print a column about it.

"When I grow up, I plan to study 10 years. I would like to discover dinosaur bones, and excavate pyramids, sphinxes and things like that. Mother says I won't but I think so."

Archeology is an interesting field, Barbara, as you seem to know. The word was made up from the Greek language, and means "ancient words."

Archeology is the study of the remains of past human life. It includes the Stone Age, and the remains of ancient countries such as Egypt, Babylonia, Greece and Rome. It also includes remains of the Incas, Aztecs and other Indians who lived in the New World in past times.

Another science, known as "paleontology," takes up the remains of dinosaurs and other animals of long ago. Some men spend a lifetime in this field, and seem to find it worth-while.

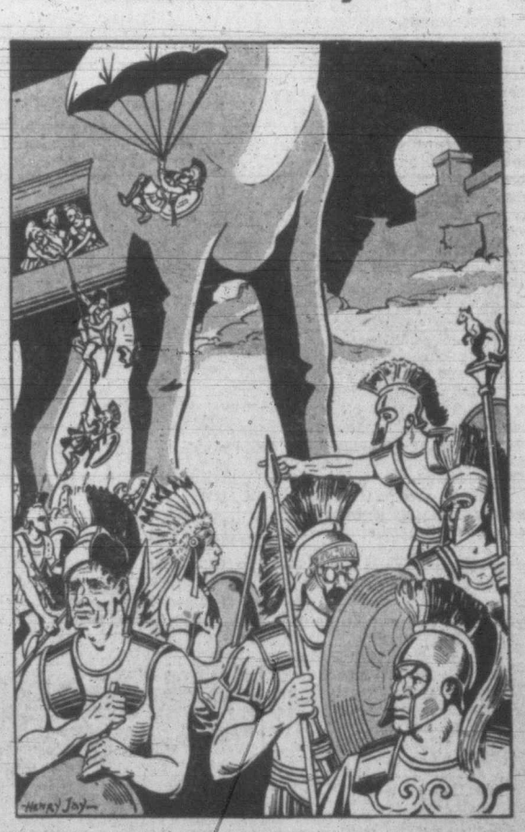
In archeology, a person may choose a special field, such as the caves of western Europe. By digging down through the floors of those caves, scientists have found all manner of stone tools and weapons. These include stone knives and axes. In the Old Stone Age, the ax blades were held in the hand. In the Late Stone Age, handles were used for the axes, as we may tell by the shape of the stones. There were places for the handles to be bound to the ax-heads.

Egypt is another interesting field of archeology. The pyramids and sphinxes are there to study, along with thousands of tombs. Most of the tombs of Egyptian kings, or "pharaohs," were robbed long ago, but a few have been found in modern times with riches inside them. The most famous of these is the tomb of King Tut, which contained thousands of precious objects, including jewels and gold.

Picture Of Errors

Answer: Modernities introduced in this picture are the parachute, cannon and rifle, as well as the glasses on one of the soldiers. The Greeks used the figures of animals on their standards, but the kangaroo was unknown to the ancient world, nor would an American Indian have been seed at Troy. The GI Greek infantryman on the extreme left has an arm many times too large, the warrior in the corner has only half a helmet and part of his spear is left out, while the soldier next to him has too many fingers.

What Do You See Wrong?



Tacticians agree that cavalry is useless in siege operations. But it was otherwise at Troy, when Agamemnon undertook to recover the stolen Queen Helen of Sparta from Paris, prince of Troy, as told by Homer in the Iliad. For, after the foot had battered their lances for 10 years against the stone walls, it was the horse that took the city. The events of that memorable moonlit night have been told and retold throughout the centuries and with each telling something new has been added. So it is not surprising that the artist injected into this picture things that could not possibly have been seen in the ancient city. There is less reason, however, for his making several errors in drawing. Can you discover 10 mistakes in this picture?

Lettuce Helps Reduce Nerve Tension

By CECIL SOLLY

IT HAS been the habit of many people to go to the nearest store once or twice a week and purchase crisp lettuce whenever they felt so inclined because head lettuce can be kept for many months in cold storage.

Millions of heads of lettuce have been grown each year in the fertile valleys of this West Coast to supply the demand. There may always be a good supply of lettuce at your neighborhood store, but what better assurance of an adequate supply can there be than to have them growing in your own yard as well.

Food experts tell us that the juice of lettuce contains an important nerve sedative called lactuarium, which helps to reduce nerve and nerve sheath tension. Therefore this palatable salad vegetable is destined to play an important part in our bodies' health and well being during the year.

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LETTUCE is an invaluable source of vitamin A and also singularly rich in vitamin E, the fertility vitamin.

The head lettuce is the one that most of us have been used to eating, because the head lettuce is the only one that can stand the long shipment and the rough handling necessary to bring us the daily supplies to which we have become accustomed. The delicate, delicious leaf lettuces are not sturdy enough to stand much handling and therefore are only to be used direct from the garden.

The flavor of any sort of lettuce which has just been cut from the garden is far and away better than any which has been stored. Be it remembered, however, that the greatest value of this vegetable lies in the green leaves, not the white centres. For this reason, grow plenty of leaf lettuce.

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THERE are four quite different kinds of lettuce, all of which should be given a place in this year's garden if possible.

Crisp head sorts have crisp, pure white hearts that are commonly known as Iceberg on the market. The best varieties are New York, Iceberg and Great Lakes.

Butter Head is a heading variety whose leaves do not become very crisp, but remain soft and tender, while the plant heads up well. The most used are Big Boston, Salamander, and Tennis Ball. These sorts stand the hot summer weather well.

Leaf Lettuce is the kind with crinkly leaves. The plants do not form compact heads but produce a fine plant with lots of leaves that are very delicious. The best variety for this section is Grand Rapids. Good also during the hot weather.

Cos or Romaine is grown in great quantities in moist climates like this. Firm, long, self-folding heads of crisp leaves that also are good in the hot weather here and do not "bolt." The best variety is Trianon.

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SEVERAL gardeners have reported growing the old fashioned Oakleaf and Bibb varieties with great success. Although these sorts are 40 to 50 years old, they still have an outstanding flavor when used fresh from the garden.

In this district the natural conditions are ideal for the growth of lettuce. With a little care in the planning of the right spots it is possible for you to have lettuce from early June until late October.

Lettuce is one of the few vegetables that will give any satisfaction when grown under deciduous trees. It does seem to do better during the summer if it is grown where trees or buildings serve to shade the plants during the afternoon each day. When grown near trees, the trees' roots must be pruned or they will choke the plants.

Some gardeners start their first lettuce from seed planted indoors. This is done to get an earlier crop. The later plantings of seed may be set right out in the open garden, preferably in a moist shady spot from which the little plants may be moved to garden rows. If about 10 to 20 plants are moved each week a perfect supply is assured. Wherever possible it is much better to plant the seed thinly in rows where the plants are to remain and to thin them out while they are quite tiny. Crowded lettuce can never grow properly.

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IN some gardens lettuce often "bolts" to seed or becomes bitter. This need not be, provided the necessary care is given.

Lettuce must be planted in soil that contains enough sand and humus that it does not pack. The soil must be rich and well fertilized with a good plant food. Liberal applications of well rotted manure and humus in large quantities are generally needed for the soils in this district. To get the best advantage from the application of the manure or other material it should be thoroughly stirred and mixed into the soil several months before the lettuce is planted.

Lettuce is one of the plants that is always benefitted by an application of lime to the soil several weeks before the plants or seeds are set out. The lime should be dusted heavily over the soil surface and raked in before or during a heavy rain if possible.

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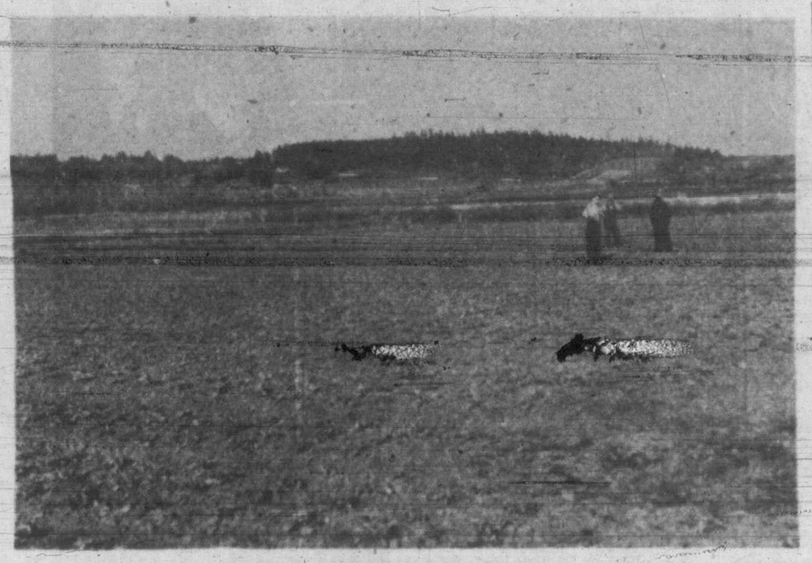
THE plants will always grow perfectly if they are made to grow rapidly in a constant supply of sufficient moisture. This should never be supplied by overhead sprinkling. Water should always come through the soil. Before watering, it is wise to scatter a small quantity of a good plant food between the rows and rake it in before the water is applied. Any good brand—your favorite kind—of plant food will be O.K. provided it is applied little-and-often.

Stir the soil between lettuce rows often but be very careful not to cut the roots or damage them by hoeing too close to the plants.

The early morning is the best time to cut lettuce. Get it from the garden while it is still wet with dew. On cloudy days it may be cut all day, but morning is always best.



In a very few weeks Victorians will again be able to stop in at local vegetable shops and at the city market to find crisp heads of outdoor-grown lettuce in abundance. Pictured above on the farm of Wong On at Keating is a field of lettuce that will be ready for local use by May 24.

Dog Notes

By PETER BOGGS

COURT'S PROOF OF IDENTITY

DOGS have appeared in court, off and on, for centuries, usually to stand trial for supposed viciousness or as neighborhood pests or else to prove ownership. However, in Astoria, Oregon, a dog was haled into court for what is to me a wholly new reason.

When Louis Wiggen died a few years ago, he bequeathed the sum of $1,000 for the support of his dog, Spike, so long as the animal should live. You may recall reading of this some time ago, as well as of Uncle Sam's action to collect a $11.36 inheritance tax on the canine legacy, and there were later developments which served to put the case more than ever in a class by itself.

The inheritance tax, along with a photograph of Spike, was filed at the Oregon State Capitol. The Capitol building caught fire and was partly destroyed, and among the burned documents were Spike's identification photo and papers connected with his legacy.

Therefore, according to the demands of the law, Spike was taken before the county court in order to prove he was the same dog to which the cash had been left and to decide if the monthly allowance of $10 for his support was to be continued. In due legal form, Spike was identified past all doubt, and the allowance was resumed.

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WHEN IS YOUR DOG DANGEROUS?

YOUR dog is friendly and loyal and gentle to you and to your family and to certain visitors. But with many outsiders, his temper is uncertain. Someone comes into the house. He snarls. Or someone meets him in your home or in the street. The dog growls and then bites. He is gentle as a kitten with some children. Other children he attacks. What is to be done about it?

Well, there are several things to be done about it. For instance: keep him away from children. Children mean well, as a rule. But their impulse sometimes is to tease a dog. He retaliates by snapping. Then there is a neighborhood squabble; perhaps a lawsuit. Keep him away from children, and keep children away from him. In that way you may avert much trouble.

Do the same in the case of grown people you and your dog meet in the street. In the case of authorized guests who visit your home, try to keep your uncertain-tempered dog out of their way. When he attacks, unprovoked, punish him instantly, and make sure he understands what he is punished for.

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DOGS' REACTIONS TO COMMANDS

A DOG connects what is said to him with something he happens to be doing at the time. For instance: He is coming into the house. You tell him to go back. He stops, because your tone implies displeasure at his actions. A cordial "Come on in, boy!" signifies your approval of his entering the house.

On the other hand, he may be thinking of something else when you say, "Heal!" and that command must start a whole new line of thought in his brain. I find that if I wait until a dog is in the act of lying down, the command, "Up!" is obeyed instinctively. If it is followed quickly by the command, "Lie down!" he seems to get the idea and obeys. I use the same procedure with all other orders and the results have been most gratifying.

Nature Talks

By ROBERT CONNELL

THE rough roads opened up by logging operations are always to me an attractive, though hardly beautiful, break in the forest scenery. Attractive because they suggest all kinds of possibilities in plants, and even winged and four-footed animals.

There is a rude wildness about the scenery that is repellent if you think only in terms of the natural forest with its ancient trees and its thickly mossed floor. But on the other hand you not infrequently come across quite unexpected views in this gashed and torn piece of country: wild crags and little streamlets that take the mind off the consideration of forest debris and the tractor's rough trail.

ROBERT CONNELL

I was in such a scene the other afternoon. The huge stumps of firs and here and there fallen trunks rose above the criss-cross confusion of smaller timber and branches still green with needles. Some of the stumps had their sawn surfaces varnished with gum that ran down the sides in silvery streamlets.

Little groups of alders barely showing the influences of spring stood here and there along the valley through which a small stream moved slowly. By its side were the brown stems of the salmonberry already clad in bright green leafage and rose-colored flowers.

In habit the salmonberry very closely resembles the common raspberry of gardens, but its stems are slightly prickly, and the color of both flowers and fruit is also quite different. Here, too, one of our wild black currants was seen, though as yet only showing its odorous leaves. Sword-ferns as yet arrayed only in last year's fronds were plentiful, and here and there a daring bracken fern raised its curled head above the bare yellow soil.

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VERY conspicuous at one place was the evergreen violet whose rounded heart-shaped leaves of a dull light green are familiar to winter wanderers by woodland paths around Goldstream and elsewhere in the woods. The flowers are particularly attractive because of their well-opened faces, their bright yellow color, and the purple markins of their centres. They have a sweet but delicate scent. Here the flowers were so clustered together as to add greatly to their attractiveness.

Along the clay banks where this violet grows another familiar spring-flowering plant was to be seen in some abundance: the wild bleeding-heart. The soft green foliage formed numerous clusters in different stages of development: some of the leaves with their finely divided divisions were well opened out while others were like soft green brushes.

Here and there were scattered the flower-clusters of the more advanced plants, some with buds only, others with fully opened flowers. The purplish pink color is soft and pleasing to the eye, but not so bright as the contrasting red and white of the garden species. The latter was brought to England by Robert Fortune from China in 1846.

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THE silvery flowers of the early spring-beauty were found in one corner of a bank, their bright green and rather succulent leaves contrasting with the dry appearance of the soil. The petals are beautified by stripes of magenta that give the flower a pink color, though that color is actually confined to the stripes and the anthers. At the base of each group of stripes is a touch of bright yellow.

Towards the foot of the climbing road the more common plants of the fields appear, the little homely daisy being out in full flower, but as scarcely possessing its crimson tips.

The logging-road is very stony and the rock species that contribute to this condition are interesting. Some of undoubtedly glacial origin occur, but by far the greater proportion are derived from the native or bedrock. They consist almost entirely of fragments of dark grey volcanic and igneous rock, basalt and gabbro, the two main constituents of the Sooke region rock.

The mottled gabbros are particularly noticeable to the walker if he happens to be interested in the raw material of his part of the globe, the mottling being due to the condition of coarse crystallization which tells of the deep-seated origin of the rock. But still more interesting did I find the great cliffs rising on the left-hand side, the front walls of isolated spurs of the hills.

I HAVE always been fascinated by this kind of scenery and the hills of Sooke are full of it. A little later on the ledges of such cliffs become wonderful wild flower gardens and continue as such until the heat of summer dries them up. And even in winter when their faces drip with water they have still another beauty: that which comes from the rich moss and lichen flora.

In frosty weather still another charm seizes them, then icicles hang from every projecting shelf and the wet surfaces become sheets of thin transparent ice. Strange patterns are worked on every stick and stone, and even the earth where uncovered is heaved up and shows itself a forest of parallel vertical ice crystals like a miniature Giants' Causeway or Fingal's Cave.

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BUT it is in a few weeks' time that the charm of the cliffs is greatest when the beauty of the mosses is being replaced by the young fern fronds of various species that may be found for the diligent seeking.

Bladder-fern and silver-back, parsley-fern and woodsia, maidenhair spleenwort and cliff-brake grow in such places.

Crevices in the rock are to be carefully searched, and it is to be borne in mind that some of these rarer species avoid the sun and are to be sought either in the deeper recesses or on the cliffs that face the north.

I know nothing more delightful in plant hunting than to come upon some of these shy plants in the recesses they love. Once I came on a small cliff face literally covered with the rather rare rock woodsia: and that was in the Sooke Hills. Perhaps some day later on I may examine these cliffs of the logging-road more closely.

Gordon Head Best For Cauliflower

The mild weather last winter was helpful to farmers who had planted cauliflower.

In the above picture Henry Lou Poy is holding in his left hand one of the beautiful cauliflowers cut this week for shipment to Winnipeg. Standing beside him is Edward Lowe who grew the vegetable on his farm at Gordon Head.

Victoria is the only place in the west where cauliflower can survive the winter. Gordon Head is the favorite spot, being warmer than any other part of the country. Even the Fraser Valley cannot duplicate Gordon Head's productivity.

Local farmers look after the Victoria market first, then the mainland and the remainder goes to the hungry markets on the prairies.

Frozen Pulp Cares For Surplus Crop

RECENTLY a new frozen fruit dessert as creamy as ice cream and as flavorful as fresh fruit was demonstrated by the horticultural division, Dominion Department of Agriculture. Consisting only of pulped fruit slightly diluted with water and with sugar and small amounts of gelatin and ascorbic acid added, the dessert is frozen while being mixed and aerated by a paddle beater. Although entirely free of butterfat, it has the texture of ice cream.

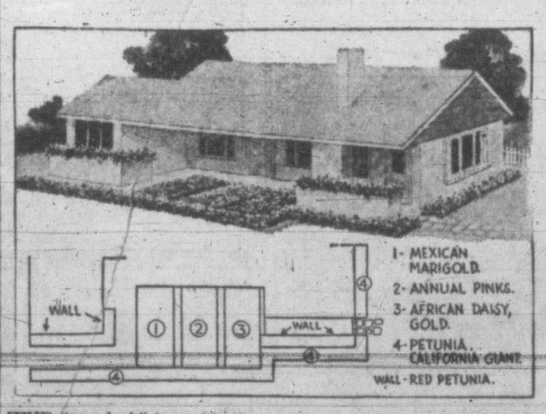
Prepared in this fashion, most fruits retain their natural color, from the pastel shades of melon and greengage to the ruddiness of raspberries. The flavor varies from the barely perceptible peach through the subtle rhubarb to the raspberry, which tastes even richer than fresh picked berries. The tart black and red currants are more pleasing to many when served with meats rather than as dessert.

THE purpose of the Department of Agriculture in perfecting this dessert is to conserve food. Much fruit is wasted when a crop ripens rapidly in warm, muggy weather. By this new process the fruit can be pulped and frozen immediately, and later, sugared and stabilized by gelatin.

Result of several years of research by the horticultural division, this product can now be manufactured commercially, as complete particulars of the formulas and processes have been made available to the trade by the department.

The policy of making its discoveries available to industry is in line with the horticultural division's earlier improvements in dehydrating apples and in fruit storage at low and high temperatures. Under the direction of M. B. Davis, Dominion horticulturist, the division synthetically created during the war, the moist hot temperature of the jungle, to study the problem of feeding fruit to troops in semi-tropical countries.

Flowers In Front Yard Give New Look To Home



THE "new look" in architecture provided houses built without basements and hugging the ground, calls for a new look in the landscaping planting about them.

The green line of shrubs and evergreens which looks so well on two story houses with high basements, is obviously out of place in front of a low, modern house. Too often you see picture windows screened by a tall growth of shrubbery, and the attractive lines of a ranch house hidden behind evergreens which in a brief period have grown too tall.

Foundation planting is a method of making houses set too high, seem lower than they are by "tieing the house to the ground." But modern one-story houses hug the ground already and do not need to appear lower. If any planting is done in front of them it should be low and should make the house look wide, by emphasizing the horizontal line. Small houses especially need this effect.

Flower borders accomplish this purpose. They provide an attractive foil for the somewhat severe lines which prevail in houses primarily designed for the comfort of the occupants rather than for outside appearance.

Front yard flower gardens provide an attractive view to enjoy from picture windows. Architects often arrange for two level plantings, one on the ground and one in boxes raised to a point just below the windows.

When flowers are planted in beds each of a single color, and all in harmony, the effect is in keeping with modern ideas of design and decoration.

The illustrations show such a planting, in rectangular beds, as well as the use of two level flower borders. In addition to the flowers which are suggested, other flowers of different colors may be used, to harmonize with the house. Annuals of dwarf habit which produce the desired effect include ageratum, anchusa, violet and white alyssum, dwarf calliopsis, carnations, crested celosias, annual pinks, lobelia, dwarf marigolds, dwarf morning glories, forget-me-nots, nasturtiums, nierembergia, petunias, pansies and violas, annual phlox, Shirley poppies, portulaca, salvia, verbenas and small flowered zinnias.

Pest Controls Get Constant Study

WITH the large number of new spray materials being put on the market it appears evident that great care will have to be taken to ensure that their use is satisfactory and does not increase the complexity and cost of pest control, nor bring about a gradual detrimental effect on the soil, warns A. D. Pickett, officer-in-charge, entomological laboratory, Dominion Department of Agriculture, Annapolis Royal, N.S.

The use of chemicals to control plant pests is largely a development of the last half century. Before 1900 the ravages of insect pests were almost taken for granted and insect outbreaks were regarded as competitors about which there was little that could be done.

In 1867 Paris green was used against the Colorado potato beetle with success but it is largely since 1900 that the greatest advances in the use of insecticides have been made. In apple production the use of insecticides and fungicides is now an integral part of the production program.

The fruit insect unit of the division of entomology, Dominion Department of Agriculture, carries on tests in the Annapolis Valley of Nova Scotia to determine the long-time effects the use of spray chemicals have in apple insects and their natural enemies. This work was initiated because some entomologists felt that while the initial effect of a spray might be good, the continued use of certain spray chemicals might gradually bring about changes that would eventually be detrimental. That this fear was not entirely an idle dream has already been definitely established.

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WASH TUBBS

CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner

"Well, if that's 'five o'clock shadow,' it's twenty minutes late!"

"If we call for the girls now, we can rush over to the dorm and dress before they come down!"

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

OUT OUR WAY

AROUND HOME

OZARK IKE

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MR AND MRS

BOOTS

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ALLEY OOP

BABY WITH THE BIG BLUE EYES

By LEWIS ALLAN

"IT'S A GREAT song," insisted Max Logan, a pudgy forefinger extended in emphasis.

Jack Callahan, president of Tuneful Music, Inc., removed his cigar and sighed. "Look, Max, I've got a bile of stuff on the shelf . . . I'm going to give it to you straight. You're a has-been, resting on your royalties. You haven't been around for 10 years. Now, all of a sudden, you expect to hit the jackpot. Your stuff is dated . . . Every number you've sent me was a stinkeroo. That's what you get for gallivantin" all over instead of stayin' in Tin Pan Alley where you belong."

Logan turned around, eyes moist.

"And don"t start cryin'," said Callahan. "I remember you from the old days."

"This," said Max slowly, "is from the old days. I wrote it before I left. It's better than anything I ever did. I never showed

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it to anyone. . . .except one person . . . I wrote it from my heart."

Callahan's smile vanished. "A dame?"

"She broke my heart," said Max, wiping a tear. "I wrote it the day before she left me . . ."

"Sit down," said Callahan with suppressed excitement. "Have a cigar. Why didn't you tell me?"

Max shrugged. "People got their own worries."

"Years ago," mused Callahan, "when you fell for that Follies dame, you wrote My Wonderful Mama. You went for a society dame and you wrote You Walked All Over My Heart. Every time you broke your heart, you wrote a hit. Then you disappeared."

"It was the real thing," said Max, his eyes brimming. "She broke my heart for good. I stayed away for 10 years on account of that baby."

Callahan allowed a moment of sanctified silence to pass. Max blew his nose. "What's its name?" asked Callahan.

"Baby With The Big Blue Eyes," repeated Callahan, tasting every word. "Sit down and knock it out."

"It's like taking my heart out for everyone to see," Max sniffled, striking a chord.

Callahan opened the window wide and sat down on the ledge.

Max began, his voice vibrant.

"We're like pigeons cooing.
That's what love is doing."

Finishing the verse, he closed his eyes, his voice booming out the window.

"Baby with the big blue eyes,
I adore you,
I am waiting for you,
Baby with the big blue eyes."

He opened his eyes and soulfully looked at Callahan.

"Go ahead, Max," said Callahan, glancing below. Someone had stopped to listen. "It's' got somethin'."

"I'll keep on yearning
You'll be returning,
Baby with the big blue eyes,
I'm looking at the clock,
Listening for your knock . . ."

There was a knock at the door.

"Busy!" called Callahan. He closed his eyes. "Go on, Max."

The door swung open.

"I said we were busy!" shouted Callahan. "Get out! Go ahead, Max."

But Max was staring at the door, his jaw hanging.

Callahan turned. A tall blond woman was there, looking at Max as if he were something the cat had dragged out of the gutter.

"It must be fate," she said, acidly. "Here I am walking along on the street and I hear a familiar mooing. I thought so! Here's a summons."

"A summons?" said Callahan, "What for?"

"Alimony, brother. And about time."

She walked over, slapped a paper in Max's lap, and stalked out.

"Who's that?" exclaimed Callahan.

"That," sighed Max, "is Baby with the big blue eyes."

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UNCLE JOE SELLS HIS FARM

By M. J. COLLINS

UNCLE Joe came stamping into the kitchen.

"You be careful!" Aunt Martha warned, waving a mixing spoon threateningly. "I have bread settin'. And wipe your feet when you traipse in from that dirty barn."

"Gol darn it, woman, you put what I was goin' to say clean out of my head," he grumbled. "Oh yes, now I remember—I think we should sell out and go live in town."

"Joe Quinn! Are you batty?"

"No I ain't! But I'm pushin' close to 70 and you ain't gettin' any younger yourself. That doesn't leave us much time to enjoy life. So I say sell out while the prices are high and move to town."

"I'm not leaving our home to suit a whim of yours. Get the idea out of your head!" There was finality in her voice. "You go and clean up. Ralph and Jenny are coming over for supper."

Uncle Joe was jubilant

"Well, I still think it's a darn good idea," he mumbled as he went to wash up.

We didn't have the slightest inkling of what Uncle Joe had suggested until supper was nearly over and then Aunt Martha asked, "Do you know what your Uncle wants to do?" and as she generally does, answered herself. "Sell the farm and move to town."

"Oh, I think that's a good idea!" Jenny cried. "It'll be so much easier for you."

"I don't want to go to town!" Aunt Martha looked belligerently at us. "I've lived here all my life. I'm perfectly happy!"

The first thing we knew, we were involved in a full scale battle, three against Aunt Martha, but she wasn't giving an inch. Not her! Finally she did admit that she didn't get her work done just as spryly as before and from there on the battle was won.

Uncle Joe was jubilant. It had been easier than he'd dreamed.

"Now you don't have to sit there and look so pleased. I can almost hear you purr." Aunty scowled.

"I'll go into town tomorrow," he said, "and put an ad in the paper. How much should I ask, Ralph?"

"Eight thousand."

"You don't think that's too much?" I shook my head. "A very reasonable price."

Within a few weeks the sale was completed and the new owner bought the farm complete with stock and implements for ten thousand dollars. He told Uncle Joe they could have another two weeks to find a house and move.

"Why not move your furniture over to our place and store it?" Jenny suggested, "and build a new house. Ralph has plenty of logs in the bush so you wouldn't be short of lumber."

"Now that's a darn good idea!" Uncle Joe beamed. "That's if you folks don't mind."

"No, not at all," I assured him. "Leave it to Jenny to think up a solution. We'll come over and help with the packing."

When they left, Jenny said, "Somehow I don't think either is happy about it."

Don't work, honey," I slipped my arm around her waist. "It's high time those two took a rest."

Next morning we were over at their place and into the job of packing. About 9.30 the new owner drove up and hailed Uncle Joe.

"I've been thinking it over, Mr. Quinn, and this place doesn't quite suit me. How would you like to buy it back at the same price?"

Uncle Joe sort of looked popeyed. "Well, sir! I just don't know what to say," he mumbled. "The wife has set her mind on movin' to town."

"Faith, and I haven't!" Aunt Martha swung her arms around excitedly. "You buy it back, Joe Quinn, if you know what's good for you."

"Well, let's go to town," there was no reluctance in Uncle Joe's voice, "and get the papers fixed up."

We went outside, leaving Aunt Martha crying softly in Jenny's arms. I watched them drive away and Uncle Joe was grinning for all he was worth. Perhaps the look on my face had something to do with it.

"Not a word," he admonished.

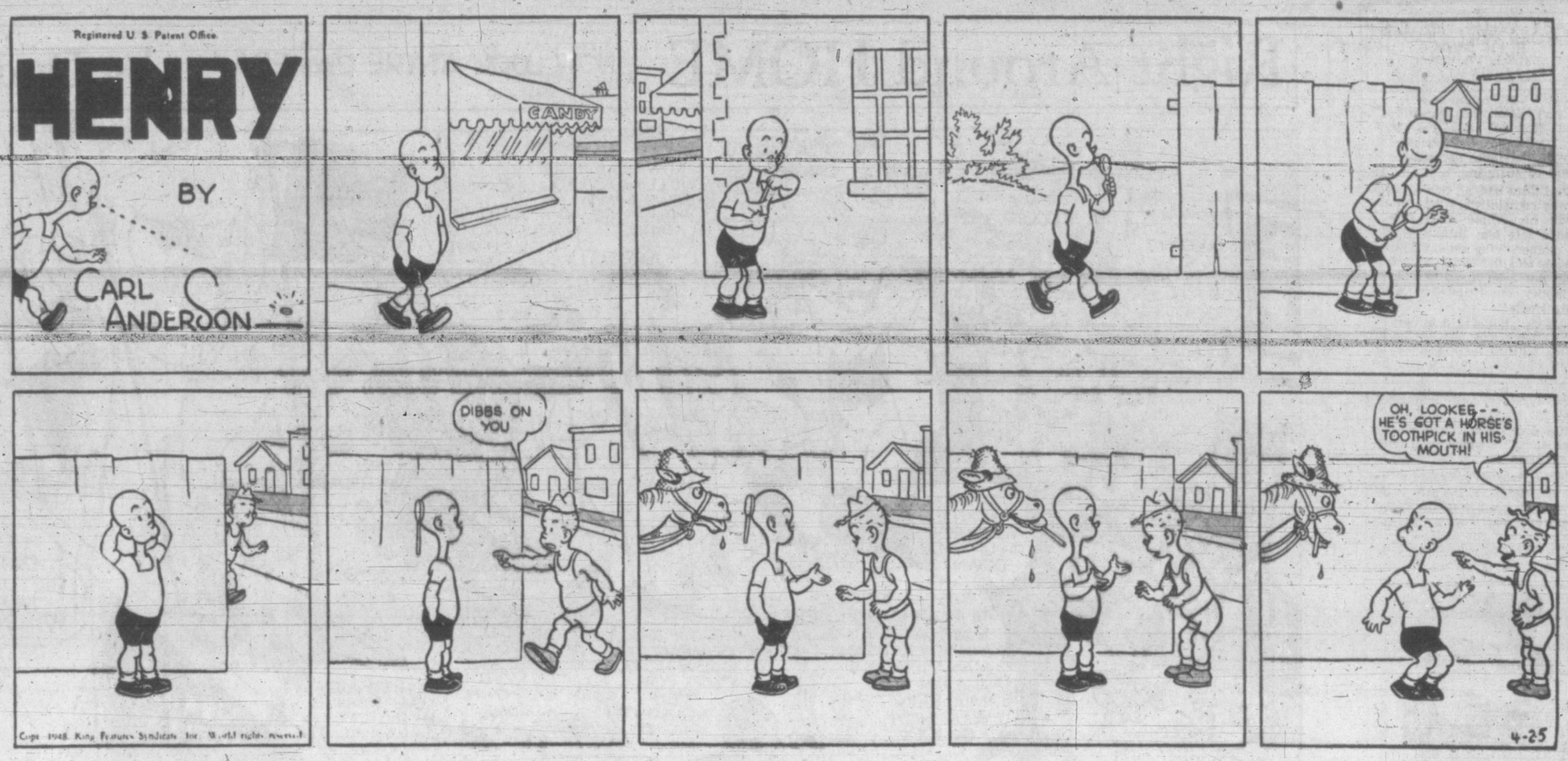
Later when we were driving home, Jenny said, "It was lucky the man wanted to sell it back. Neither one of them wanted to leave the farm."

"Lucky my eye!" I snorted. "It was just plain conniving on Uncle Joe's part. He made an agreement to pay the owner an extra thousand if he'd come out and say what he did. Don't say a word to Aunt Martha. He told me to keep it under my hat."

"Well, what do you know," Jenny laughed. "Uncle is still a bit of a one."

"An expensive one," I said.

Jenny waited five minutes before telling me that Aunt Martha had already paid the man $500 to sell the farm back to her husband.



MURDER WILL OUT

By G. Patricia Warburton

TONIGHT Cora would be killed. Every detail was carefully planned. Now the stage was set. There would be no mistakes. Cora would pay with her life for his years of suffering.

All that Cora had, all that Cora spent was rightfully his. The unfair will his stupid stepfather had made left him little better than a pauper. Why should Cora have such wealth? Stupid Cora who did not even know how to enjoy money, but founded a Cat and Dog Home!

Even with all her money she had not managed to get a husband. No wonder, with her coy mannerisms, her gigling voice.

He had been clever. Never once, by word or deed, had he revealed his feelings. It was always "Good morning, Cora, how are you today?" when he met her. And after church he would greet her, "A lovely day, Cora, nice to see you."

Oh, he had been careful. He took her to dinner three or four times a year, and she always invited him for Christmas dinner at the big house on the hill.

No one would ever suspect him. He smirked at himself in the mirror and bowed sardonically to his image.

He looked impatiently at his watch. Another five minutes and she would be here. He glanced

He got up quickly as though overcome with emotion.

round the room, taking in every detail. Everything was in place, everything fine. Cora would be surprised.

The lights were dim, the radio played softly and the large easy chair was in front of the glowing fireplace.

He felt a surge of excitement. He lit a cigarette and wished savagely that she would come.

Then he heard her heels tapping along the hall. She always persisted in wearing tiny shoes with ridiculously high heels and looked as though she was about to topple over.

The shrill ring of the bell shattered the silence, and he flung the door open.

"Why, Cora, how nice you look," he murmured.

"Do you really like it?" she simpered.

"Marvellous," he replied quickly, wondering whether she meant the monstrosity of her hat or the mustard-colored coat that did not enhance her pale white complexion and faded blonde hair.

How startled she would be if I told her the truth, he thought. He toyed with the idea while she removed her coat and hat and fluffed her hair, talking incessantly.

She was taken aback by the appearance of the room.

"What have you done to it?" she quavered. "It looks different."

"It's a long time since you paid me a visit, so I changed everything round."

She said nothing, and still seemed puzzled.

I mustn't let her suspect anything, he thought, and turned on all the lights. "There, that's better, isn't it?"

Putting on the lights seemed to reassure her for after a few minutes she was prattling on at a great rate.

"Will you have a cocktail, Cora?"

"Well, I suppose I shouldn't, but just one. I'll pretend it's a celebration."

Many a true word spoken in jest, he thought. If you only knew it, you're the celebration, or soon will be.

The cocktail was strong and Cora seldom drank, so her face became flushed, her eyes bright, and she didn't even notice when he turned out the lights and only the fire lit the room.

This was it. This was the zero hour.

He sat on the arm of her chair, close beside her.

She stiffened, but he went on talking and smoking, and gradually she relaxed.

Casually, he slipped his arm round her.

"You know, Cora, I'm very fond of you. Have been for years, and I often think of you." He put pathos into the last line, then got up quickly as though overcome with emotion.

He came back behind her chair and lightly stroked her hair.

She seemed dazed at first, then as his hand caressed her neck, her breath came quickly, and he thought of the unspinsterlike ideas that must be running wild in her mind.

For just a second his hands tightened round her neck, and he thought, no, not that way.

"Poor Cora," he murmured, for she could not see the sharp, glittering blade.

He raised his hand, then brought it down quickly.

She sighed slowly, then toppled over.

He looked fascinated at the red stain on his hand, then shuddered.

He looked up apprehensively.

"All right," boomed a voice. "Time out for lunch. Everybody back on the set in an hour."

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THE LILAC TREE

By RUTH THOMPSON

VIC STRODE ahead into the depot with his suitcase and Mary's bag. Last night this had seemed a perfect idea. Vic and she were dancing when he suggested it.

"We can be married right away over the line. Don't fuss about clothes," he had said. "Just wait. I'll dress you like a doll.

When he said that, Mary felt tingly from head to toe. She hated her job in the noisy restaurant. Every day the trays seemed heavier and clumsier to manage. Vic's cheery flirting at the counter had been a welcome diversion.

Vic set the bags down and she watched him hurry to the ticket window. How queer, she thought, just two years ago, when she left Pine Creek — it was April too—she had entered the city through this same station. Two years of disillusionment! She could still see her mother's tear-filled eyes.

"Aw, mom, you know I love you," Mary had said. "You're swell. Roger, too. But I don't want to settle down and be a farmer's wife. I want to have fun."

Then the local train puffed in and her mother had held her tightly.

"Don't worry about me, Mom. I'll write.

Her mother had tucked a spray of purple lilac in the strap of the suitcase—'So you'll not be forgetting the lilac tree."

Mary smiled. She was remembering how she had called even the tiniest shrub a lilac tree. Someone came and sat close to her. Vic, it was, with the tickets. "What are you grinning about?" he asked. "Oh, nothing," she answered. "I was just remembering." She wouldn't try to explain. He would never understand.

He let it go at that. He laid his arm across her shoulders, drew her close, while his pudgy fingers kept squeezing her arm. His lips almost touched hers.

"Kiss me, Baby," he urged with a possessive glint in his steel-blue eyes. Mary shrank back. Strange that never before had she realized the fullness of his lips. She pushed him back with a sense of uneasiness—why, this was the man she had promised to marry.

"Not afraid of me, are you? Better not be? His voice sounded sarcastic—or was that a threat?

Mary turned her face away. She noticed a woman who had entered the depot, carrying an armful of lilacs. As she passed, a spray fell near Mary. She reached and picked it up.

"Just wait and you'll have a roomful of roses," said Vic.

Mary did not answer. She was seeing lilac trees, purple and white, all in bloom back home. She could smell their sweetness.

Vic swore under his breath. Startled, Mary turned. A swarthy man, with hat pulled low, was approaching them. His face was vaguely familiar.

"Who is he, Vic" Mary whispered. She tried to remember where she'd seen him. Vic paid no attention to her. Instead he spoke sharply to the man.

"What's the idea, following me here? Didn't I tell everyone to lay low?"

Mary caught a glimpse of a scar on the stranger's cheek. Something clicked. That picture in last night's paper. The story about another hold-up.

Then—"It's like this, boss—" He was whispering something in Vic's ear. Boss!

Vic swore again. His voice was harsh. "No!" he exclaimed.

Mary shivered. She looked around, hoping no one heard him.

"Listen, Baby," he said turning to her. "I've got some business, some mighty important business to tend to. Wait here."

Mary watched them step into a large flashy car. At first she was frightened. Then there was no feeling in her body but a queer numbness. Only her brain stirred. It was clearing, like a mist rising after sunrise.

She thought of Vic's promises. Beautiful clothes, night clubs, a gay party somewhere every night. She thought of her mother and of Roger. Was he still waiting for her in Pine Creek?

She went to the door and looked down the street. Vic might be back any minute now.

Suddenly she grabbed up her bag and ran to the ticket window. Breathlessly she asked the agent about the train to Pine Creek.

"Yes, ma'am! In three minutes, better hurry," he said as he stamped her ticket.

Clutching the paper, she felt as if she had been running through a dark, dense forest and had that minute stepped out into the warm, clean sunlight.

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